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THAT OLD, OLD SCHOOL HOUSE.

Timothy Ladd's "College" Definitely Located Near Red Mill—Why Not a Monument to His Memory?

The article written on Timothy Ladd by J. M. Goodhart, the Lewistown Trust Company president, has aroused much discussion among the older people in Centre Hall and Potter township, and in many other sections of Penns Valley. Many of the parents of the older inhabitants of the valley, who were boys and girls in the Timothy Ladd time, have rightly come to the conclusion that he was their instructor not only in mathematics, but also led in religious matters.

Would it not be fitting for this second, third and fourth generation to honor this old-time school teacher, who did so much for their forefathers, to erect a modest monument on the site of the old school house hard by the "Red Bridge" in Potter township? To honor him in this way would require no sacrifice on the part of any one. The subscriptions to such a fund should be made popular, and the unveiling could be made a means of impressing the youths of this valley with the importance of education. Will not some of the Reporter readers take up this matter, form a local organization looking toward the erection of a modest monument marking the site of one of the earliest school houses in Penns Valley, and to perpetuate the name of the greatest school teacher in his day, who now lives only in unrecorded history?

John Blair Linn, Center county's only historian, in his history of Center and Clinton counties, page 159, writes of the early school teachers in such a manner as to reflect great discredit to the profession in the early history of the county. Timothy Ladd is not mentioned by historian Linn and his reference to schools in the beginning of the nineteenth century make it all the more necessary to bring out the exceptionally high christian character of Timothy Ladd. A paragraph from this history will better impress this need:

"With here and there an exception, the schoolmasters of the past generation were deficient in nearly all the qualities that make the good teacher. They were intemperate, tyrannical, illiterate, and considered unfit for any business except school-teaching. We hear of many who used profane language in school, and had habitually a bottle of whiskey secreted somewhere about the school-house. They were not expected to teach anything except the three "R's," and if one made application for a school his head was not probed seriously by officials to fathom the profundity of his knowledge. Proficiency in writing, skill in making quill-pens, and physical vigor to "thrash" unruly boys were the qualifications that commended him most to his patrons, and his prerogative of flogging he usually exercised to an amazing degree. He was more lavish than discriminating in meeting out punishments. If some luckless urchin among a number of still more luckless mates fell into mischief, the teacher did not waste time endeavoring to discover the culprit, but seized one of the long rods and flogged the whole row simultaneously."

The location of the school house in Potter township in which Timothy Ladd taught and referred to in the first article on the subject that appeared in these columns, is definitely known. The "Red Bridge," near by which the school house stood is close to the residence of John Confer, a short distance east of the Red Mill. There is a very distinct mark of a building having been there, and James B. Spangler, whose mother and the mother of J. M. Goodhart are sisters, is able to point it out, the site having been fixed in his mind by his mother referring to and pointing it out.

The "Red Bridge" crossed Sinking Creek near the school house, and was on the "old road" across Penns Valley to Bellefonte before the present Lewistown-Bellefonte turnpike was built. From Potters Mills the road passed by McCoys, to east of the Red Mill, by Calvin Vonada, the Goodhart homestead and on to the top of the hill at the Burkholder homestead, led in the direction of the John K. Runkle homestead, on to the east of the buildings now owned by Clayton Wagner and William H. Baird, crossing the Boalsburg road at the Albert Spayd farm, occupied by Mr. Delaney, the section of the road leading diagonally by the Bartges barn being the original road, from there it led to the mountains at Walker's.

When the turnpike was built the bridge crossing Sinking Creek at Benjamin Stover's was named "Red Bridge" and since carried the name with it, and this was the cause for Mr. Goodhart locating the school house along the pike.

So much toward definitely locating the Timothy Ladd school house, and the suggestion to mark the site with a monument to its honored teacher. The Reporter's columns are open to any who wish further to promote this good cause.

A SANE CHRISTMAS? YES.

Let Us Back to the Honored Custom of the Past—Remember the Poor.

One of the wisest of modern reforms is that inaugurated at Indianapolis for what is termed a "sane Christmas." The "sane Fourth of July" has been such a signal success that popular public sentiment will surely approve a similar drastic treatment of the day of good cheer, which of late years has passed out and beyond the circle of good sense and true spirit. Christmas is no longer the Christmas of old; it has been transformed into a day of burden for the average family in moderate circumstances, and this disposition to subvert the true home sentiment to the indiscriminate giving of gifts to friends and acquaintances is working a direct harm to many thousands of persons who can ill afford such a drain on their resources. The glad day means to many actual bankruptcy—in numerous instances pauperization—all for the uncalled for desire "to keep up appearances" and to do equally as good as some other thoughtless individual who distributes presents to those who have no reason to expect them.

To the family of the man with a small income the coming of Christmas is something to be dreaded—not the day of rejoicing that it ought to be. Many a weary, brain-racking hour is spent over the list of those who, as a result of custom, have to be remembered, and the dollars and pennies are counted and recounted time and again in the effort to make the little sum "go around." Those for whom this torture is endured are at the same time suffering a similar experience. Neither can afford it, but "appearances must be kept up," no matter if the family is forced to curtail for weeks to come.

Associated with the custom of gift-giving is the opportunity for bribery and graft. Public officials are made the recipients of costly "remembrances" by those who are in a position to be favored—a direct bid for official wrongdoing under the cover of a sacred anniversary, when it is proper for friend to give a friend and receive in return. Few realize the abuses thus perpetrated behind the guise of Christmas giving.

How much better to go back to the honored custom of the past, when the spirit of giving was confined to the members of one's own family, and the poor of the community, when all was happiness and joy, and when Christmas was real rather than a burden brought about by this system, which is little less than a mockery. A sane Christmas is just as necessary as a sane Fourth of July, and the movement so auspiciously started at Indianapolis ought to meet with a response in every city in this broad land.

Extra Pay for School Teachers.

School teachers will receive $3 a day for their attendance at the sessions of the annual county institute which will be held in the court house at Bellefonte next week. The new school code provides for the increase which amounts to fifty per cent. over the compensation allowed under the old law. This allowance is made by the state in addition to the regular salaries of the teachers.

MURRAY & BITNERS UNUSUAL OFFER.

Sell Dr. Howard's Specific at Half-Price and Guarantee a Cure.

"It isn't often that we have faith enough in the medicine put up by other people to be willing to offer to refund the money if it does not cure," said Murray & Bitner to a Reporter man who dropped into their store, "but we are glad to sell Dr. Howard's specific for the cure of constipation and dyspepsia on that basis.

"The Dr. Howard Company, in order to get a quick introductory sale, authorizes us to sell their regular fifty cent bottles at half price, 25 cents, and, although we have sold a lot of it, and have guaranteed every package, not one has been brought back as unsatisfactory.

We are still selling the specific at half price, although we cannot tell how long we shall be able to do so, and any one who is subject to constipation, sick headache, dizziness, liver trouble, indigestion or a general played-out condition, ought to take advantage of this chance. You can tell your readers that if they are not satisfied with the specific they can come right back to our store and we will cheerfully refund their money.

There is little danger from a cold or from an attack of the grip except when followed by pneumonia, and this never happens when Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is used. This remedy has won its great reputation and extensive sale by its remarkable cures of colds and grip and can be relied upon with implicit confidence. For sale by all dealers.

Centre Reporter, $1 per year.

DUG-DRILLED WELLS' DANGER.

May Breed Malarial or Typhoid Fever When Thought Safe.

Almost any community in which wells have to be drilled can boast of a number of combination dug and drilled wells. The owners congratulate themselves on their wisdom in utilizing an old dug well fifteen, twenty, or thirty feet in depth, and drilling through the bottom of this to a good flow of deep water. The cost of drilling that twenty or thirty feet has been saved, certainly an economy worth considering. As a matter of fact this combined dug and drilled well is a particularly dangerous type. It may readily breed malarial fever or even typhoid fever, which is more prevalent in the country than ever in the overcrowded cities, in spite of the supposed pure water supply of nearly all farming sections. Such a well is all the more dangerous because it is fancied to be safe. Although the water encountered by the deep well may be perfectly pure at the start contamination may take place almost immediately by the entrance, especially after rains, of seepage water into the open well and thence into the casing of the drilled well. The remedies are obvious. Either the casing should be carried to the surface of the outside ground, or at least above the highest level ever reached by water, or the well should be converted into a water-tight system by applying a thick coating of cement over both sides and bottom.

LOCALS

A heating plant is being installed in the Lutheran parsonage, in Centre Hall.

A. W. Zettle, of near Spring Mills, advertises public sale of farm stock and implements for March 6.

The constitutionality of the new school code will be argued before the supreme court, in Philadelphia, on the second day of 1912.

Most of the rabbit hunters have had fairly good success in bagging game. But few squirrels, and no pheasants or wild turkeys have been brought in by the local nimrods.

Maynard Meeker, of Potters Mills, was one of the Reporter's callers last week. He is farming on the Sankey homestead, and is as nearly ready for winter as the farmer can get.

Aaronsburg is having a lecture course of three numbers, the first to appear being John F. Chambers, on December 6th. On January 3rd there will be a lecture by Dr. J. Everist Cathell, and on January 25th the Jess Pugh Concert Company will close the course.

A singing class with about thirty members was organized at the Pine Stump school house, last week, by Prof. E. W. Crawford, who is the instructor. The officers are J. T. Potter, president; Lanson Burris, secretary, and William M. Houser, treasurer. Meetings will be held once each week.

The low price and demand for apples induced many farmers to shake their winter apples and dispose of them at the Centre Hall evaporating plant. Many hundreds of bushels of apples were evaporated that, had the market demands been better, would have been shipped in barrels to other sections.

Most people are aware that the Weather Bureau is not infallible. Most people, nevertheless, probably think that it ought to be infallible. Many a man is inclined to harbor the memory of the occasional failure of a forecast, and forget the scores of days in succession when the forecast proves entirely accurate.

The Gazette and Bulletin, published at Williamsport, and the leading organ of the Republican organization in Lycoming county, has announced, that it will hereafter be independent in politics. The Gazette and Bulletin is disgusted with the foul means employed by the organization, and in an editorial so stated.

Cornelius Bland disproved an erroneous report circulated about him with positive proof just by walking through the streets of Centre Hall on Friday. Mr. Bland, who during the sixties wore the blue, and is now more than eighty years of age, is entirely too nimble on his feet to be buried without a protest. The reader can now correctly guess the character of the false rumor.

J. Henry Meyer, of Bowling Green, Virginia, was an arrival in Centre county last week, and was a visitor of his brothers, Prof. P. H. Meyer, in Centre Hall, and Jacob Meyer, in Boalsburg. Mr. Meyer has been a resident of Virginia for some years, and had not returned until last spring, but his visit then seems to have made him think of the old home surroundings all the more, and brought about a speedy return. Before returning home Mr. Meyer will visit a daughter in Baltimore.

LETTERS FROM SUBSCRIBERS.

Reporter Subscribers' Correspondent Column—New Department.

From Porto Rico comes a message to the Reporter readers written by Mrs. W. V. Godshall, formerly from Centre Hall, whose husband is a graduate of Pennsylvania State College, and is now a professor in the University of Porto Rico, at Rio Piedras. Mrs. Godshall, under date of October 27, says:

Dear Mr. Smith:

We thank you for sending the Reporter every week. We all enjoy reading the news from Pennsylvania. We were pleased with our trip to Porto Rico and will be more so when we have learned to speak Spanish. We left Centre Hall September 15 and arrived here September 21. It was just sunrise when we entered the harbor at San Juan and it certainly was a pretty scene. The weather was very favorable all the way down and we all enjoyed the trip.

The country is very beautiful; it is as mountainous as Centre county. The island reminds one of stepping into a green house in the States. The country is full of such tropical plants as ferns, bananas, oranges, bread-fruit, Mango, cocoanut, etc. There are banana and cocoanut trees in our yard. Large orange and pineapple fields are near us. Oranges sell for five cents a dozen.

We occupy part of a house with a Baptist Missionary and so we are with American people. We have about a five minute walk to the Rio Piedras, which has a population of 5000 or more. Here there is one protestant church—the Baptist, a large public school, besides the practice school belonging to the University. The Baptists are about to build a theological seminary for boys and girls. There is great need for missions here. Our girls attend the Normal practice school and like it very much. Besides the branches studied at home in Centre Hall they have taken up music, sewing, painting, manual training, and Spanish. Mr. Godshall likes his work very much. Some of the Porto Ricans are very bright scholars.

There are electric cars here equal to those found in Pennsylvania, but the engines and coaches on the steam roads are not as large as we are used to seeing climb the Pennsylvania hills and mountains.

Living expenses are somewhat higher than in Centre Hall. Eggs are from fifty to sixty cents a dozen; butter from New York is forty-five cents, and milk from American cattle is seventeen cents per quart. There are several American companies here from which one can get all American goods which by the crate are as cheap as they are in the states. Chicago hams are twenty-one cents a pound; steak, thirty-five cents; meat for boiling, twenty-five cents.

The weather is very different here. The temperature is about eighty-five degrees all the time but it will not be so warm later. We are having the rainy season now; it rains almost every day and sometimes more than one shower a day.

I am sending you a copy of the Times, this gives us some news too.

From California Mrs. John W. Lose tells what is doing on the Pacific coast. She and her husband and daughter are again located in Los Angeles, and having such a warm side for the dear old home in Penns Valley, Mrs. Lose favors the Reporter readers with this message:

Inclosed please find one dollar for payment on subscription to the Reporter. Please address it to Los Angeles. You were misinformed as to our moving to Yermo, as we were there for a few months only, Mr. Lose hauling been called there to put up a few buildings, my daughter and I went with him, and we certainly did enjoy the "desert" life for a while. There were several days that the temperature was one hundred and twenty, but the air is so pure one does not mind it nearly so much as when it is eighty-nine in the middle west. I can't say Pennsylvania for that is our dear home state, and, oh, how dear it is to our hearts with all the good people in it.

We had our first rain last week since March. We have most of our rains at night. During the last week or two people have been digging their gardens and are now planting all kinds of garden seeds and by Christmas we will have new peas, lettuce, onions, potatoes, strawberries, cucumbers, and every thing else that is grown in a garden. There are many thousands of Pennsylvanians here and also many from all the other eastern states—the population of Los Angeles is made up of people from all the states and also from many foreign countries.

Tomorrow will be an exciting time in Los Angeles, as women will cast

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Bauchman's Body Found.

Three weeks after he was last seen the body of J. F. Bauchman, of Yeagertown, was discovered on the breast of the dam in Kishacoquillas creek, at the Mann Edge Tool Works, at Lewistown, on Friday afternoon. Bauchman had gone to a "bean soup" at McClure, October 14th, and since then it was only known that he got on the train at McClure to return home. He was intoxicated at that time. When found $60 were in his pockets, also a gold watch and a flask of whiskey. It is believed he fell from the Walnut street bridge, and drowned.

Hallowe'en Party.

A masquerade party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Meyer, at Pine Grove Mills, Hallowe'en evening. The oddest looking couple received prizes. Mrs. N. B. Krebs, received the lady's prize and Bert Ward received the gentleman's prize. After several hours spent in games and music the guests were served with refreshments suitable for the occasion. Those present were Dr. and Mrs. M. L. Krebs, Mr. and Mrs. Simon Ward, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Walker, Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Krebs, Misses Maude Rudy, Mandella Smith, May Meyer, Bessie Martz, Elna Ward, Retta Ward, Prof. White, Fred Randolph, John Keller, Frank Homan, Bert Ward, Grove Coral. ***

Transfers of Real Estate.

Clara M. Conrad et baron to Julia Duganne, October 26, 1911, tract of land in Taylor twp. $800.

Philipsburg Coal & Land Co. to Joseph Knapper, August 28, 1911, tract of land in Rush twp. $372.

William L. Foster et al to John T. Spangler, September 23, 1911, tract of land in State College. $300.

Elizabeth White to Clara M. Conrad, August 15, 1904, tract of land in Taylor twp. $800.

John Noll et al exrs. to Marilla Dawson, August 5, 1910, tract of land in Bellefonte. $1300.

Marilla Dawson to Sarah E. Satterfield, August 5, 1910, lot in Bellefonte. $1300.

Mary R. Harris et bar to Agnes Shipley, October 25, 1911, lot in Unionville boro. $1400.

Thomas Foster et al to Luther D. Tige, October 13, 1911, lot in State College. $2100.

Mary K. Gray et al to R. J. P. Gray, April 11, 1911, tract of land in Half Moon twp. $1.

Edward J. Gehret et ux to Marietta Miller, September 9, 1911, lot in Bellefonte. $1600.

S. T. Williams et ux to Aaron Steele, August 12, 1911, lot in South Philipsburg. $25.

A. C. Leathers et al to M. C. Gephart, October 2, 1911, lot in State College. $1.

Abraham Baird to Amanda Horner, September 22, 1911, lot in Spring twp. $1 00.

T. M. Gramley trustee et al to J. W. Mitterling, March 27, 1906, lot in Centre Hall. $1200.

Trustees I. O. O. F. Lodge Centre Hall to William Mitterling, April 13, 1908, tract of land in Centre Hall. $480.

John Yosue et ux to Andrew Bearash, October 26, 1911, tract of land in Rush twp. $975.

In placing the New Idea Manure spreader cut in the Weber advertisement last week, it was turned upside down. The writer talked to several farmers who were using the spreader about the accident, and they all stated that the Reporter could conscientiously tell its readers that the New Idea manure spreader would run about as smooth when upside down as most makes of manure spreaders would when right side up. That may be putting it a bit strong, but a comparison of draft always largely favors the New Idea, to say nothing of how very much better the spreading of the manure is done.

"I am pleased to recommend Chamberlain's Cough Remedy as the best thing I know of and safest remedy for coughs, colds and bronchial trouble," writes Mrs. L. B. Arnold, of Denver, Colorado. "We have used it repeatedly and it has never failed to give relief." For sale by all dealers.

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their votes for the first time.

There are times that we long for a good snow storm, but it seems we can't have it, yet we can see snow the year around on the mountain tops.

Lot R. Evans writes the Reporter from Petrel, South Dakota, November 2nd: We are having cold weather now. Yesterday, the first day of November, the thermometer registered zero, and this morning ten above zero; otherwise we have had a very nice fall. Farmers in this section for the first time sowed fall rye which will take the place of spring wheat.

TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS.

HAPPENINGS OF LOCAL INTEREST FROM ALL PARTS.

A Bell telephone was installed in the residence of Perry Breon in Centre Hall.

Son number two came to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Riter, in Centre Hall, on Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. John Knarr, and little son, last week drove to Pine Glen to visit relatives and friends of Mrs. Knarr.

Mrs. D. A. Boozer and son George went to Philadelphia, on Saturday, where the latter is receiving treatment for one of his feet.

The last quarterly meeting for 1911 of the Patrons Rural Telephone Company will be held at the Garman house, today (Thursday).

Miss Naomi Smith, daughter of Thomas Smith, of Woodward, last week was the guest of her cousin, Miss Nellie Smith, in Centre Hall.

In another column of this issue will be found an appeal for a sane Christmas. This article is timely, as at this season the outlay in cash for the Christmas season is being discussed.

The remains of John Ross, who died in 1874 on the Ross farm, at Farmers Mills, were disinterred in the Centre Hill cemetery and removed to the family plot in the Centre Hall cemetery.

The Centre County Pomona Grange will meet in Grange Arcadia, Thursday, November 16th, this being the last quarterly meeting in this year. There will be two sessions, opening at 10 a. m. and at 1:30 p. m.

Irvin Burris, who some few weeks ago moved to Yeagertown, is on this side the Seven Mountains a few days each week. He is hauling apples, potatoes, etc., to the Lewistown district, where he finds ready sale for them. Later on he expects to handle pork.

Monday of next week D. K. Geiss, formerly of Centre Hall, will start from Bellefonte on a western trip. He will go to Chicago, and then to Joliet, and from there to Kansas to visit his brothers—Jacob K., at Beloit, and Daniel K., at Girard. He has not set a time for returning.

Mrs. William A. Odenkirk, of Glen Iron, accompanied by her little daughter Dorothy Meyer, and Robert Meyer, a student in the Agricultural Department at Pennsylvania State College, were at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Meyer, in Centre Hall, over Sunday.

W. Gross Mingle, manager of the Howard Creamery Corporation, is this week shipping two car loads of apples and a car load of potatoes. But few apples and only about one car of potatoes were shipped from here so far this season. Several car loads of apples were shipped from Coburn.

Miss Margaret Jacobs, one of the operators in the Commercial telephone exchange, at Centre Hall, the latter part of last week went to Williamsburg, where she was entertained by Misses Jodie and Susan Rearick until the beginning of this week. During her absence, Mrs. Lizzie Jacobs spent the time with her sister, Mrs. John W. Stuart, at State College.

Mrs. Martha Teed, who for several weeks has been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Samuel W. Moore, in Centre Hall, is recovering from injuries sustained in a fall down a flight of stairs. No bones were broken, but the lady was pretty badly bruised, and one of her arms is practically disabled. Mrs. Teed is a resident of Philadelphia, and came to Centre Hall in company with her daughter, Miss Lina Teed.

John F. Treaster has finished his lumber operations on the J. Q. A. Kennedy tract and the tract purchased from Dr. H. F. Bitner, west of Centre Hall, and has moved his mill farther to the west on the Horner tract of thirty-eight acres, owned by H. W. Orwig & Son. Mr. Treaster is doing the cutting for the Orwigs. The timber is oak, chestnut, etc., which will be sawed into car stuff, ties, etc. There will also be prop timber and lagging to handle.

The hunting season is on, and this has caused the posting of large numbers of trespass notices. It is the exceptional man who has no regard for the rights of property owners that causes so many "keep off" notices to be tacked up. The majority of hunters pass over fields and woods with no intention of doing damage, nor do they do any, but occasionally the man who is a hog under all circumstances takes a notion to hunt, and when he does so he is all hog, and every body knows what a hog can do when turned loose. The property owner is obliged to guard against this hunting hog, and in doing so the trespass notices necessarily stare the unobjectionable hunter in the face.

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ARE THE STARS FADING?

The opening of the present theatrical season is accompanied by the proclamation of a new principle. For 20 years or more the star has been the idol of the public and the god of managers. Mighty was the wage of this divinity. The star system seemed permanent. But last season was one of the most trying that theater managers have ever weathered. Scarcely one has not curtailed his enterprises, says the New York Sun. Theatrical investment is on a much less extensive scale than it was 12 months ago. Extreme conservatism marks the business this fall. Managers are searching for suggestions as to the best means of putting their affairs on a solid basis. One result of this investigation is the assertion that it would probably be much better for the theaters if there were fewer stars or none at all. The reasons for this decision seem sound, at all events sounder to reasonable laymen than the causes of the sudden promotion of every blue-eyed ingenue to the rank of a star. Managers have decided that the theatrical celebrity they make holds them afterward in tyrannical grasp. They must eventually accede to all the conditions these players may impose. Thus by deliberately creating a star they are raising up a force that will eventually be inimical to them.

Grindell Matthews, a young English engineer, is believed by his friends to be on the verge of giving to the world a wireless telephone with which conversations may be carried on across the Atlantic. It may not become public, as the British government may seek to acquire the sole right to it, preserving the secret, and retaining it for use in war. All that is known concerning the apparatus is that it is in a box so small that one may easily carry it about. Instruments may be tuned so that they will transmit only to others tuned in the same key. A man might telephone to his wife while she is out shopping Tests have been made in which the interposition of brick and iron walls was shown to be no barrier. Nothing seems too wonderful in the way of invention—especially where electricity is concerned; so nobody will be greatly surprised if Matthews' invention fulfills its promise.

The New York populace is apt to smile with pitying superiority when it hears a Cockney drop his "h's." It forgets that it is equally culpable in regard to another letter of the alphabet, "r." How it does shy at "r." When the letter is not dropped entirely it becomes "oi," as in "goil" for girl, or "woild" for world. What is being done in our public schools to correct this bad habit and others equally bad? The Cockney language is not a thing of beauty or a delight to the ear, but positively we are developing an argot here that is much worse; a monstrous, hybrid form of speech, devoid at once of grace and music. Let our school commissioners look to it!

When a man holds up his fellow man at the point of a gun and relieves him of his belongings, it is called highway robbery. When a nation does the same thing it is called war. What the world needs is an international police force.

When a man sues a girl for the money he spent in courting her, it behooves the girl to enter a counter suit for the gas that was burned during the sessions in the parlor.

An Ohio man fainted after he had played a piano continuously for twenty-seven hours. We haven't heard what happened to the people who were compelled to listen.

A Chicago man jumped from the third story of a burning hotel, but the kind that jump a bill on the first floor in the silent night are the kind the hotelkeepers don't like.

One of the esteemed missionaries tells us that China will one day dominate the world. Think, brethren, of being forced to eat all one's meals in a Chinese restaurant!

A telephone girl in Portugal gave warning of a royalist attack and quelled a revolt, proving herself a first-class information operator.

The freshman and sophomore medics are rather rough in their rushes, but after they graduate they will mutilate with more finesse.

Chasing a monoplane with automobiles is a merry sport at which not even the fairy tales of our childhood hinted.

A Boston clergyman advocates the teaching of love-making in the schools. That's where it begins, usually.

COL. ROOSEVELT ON ARBITRATION

Peace Agreements Wicked to Keep

AND SHAMEFUL TO BREAK

Peace Advocates Blind To Recent History—Turkey and China Show Need Of International Big Stick.

New York.—Arbitration of every disputed question, even including questions involving the national honor, as advocated by President Taft, is disapproved by former President Roosevelt in a signed editorial in the last issue of the Outlook.

"It would be not merely foolish but wicked for us as a nation to agree to arbitrate any disputes that affect our vital interest or our independence or our honor," emphatically declares the former President.

"The complete absence of militarism in China, and China's effort to rely purely on pacific measures in dealing with all foreign powers, have not only caused it to lose various provinces to various foreign powers within the last few decades, but have not had the smallest effect in saving it from tyranny, misgovernment and the most far-reaching economic misery at home, and, moreover, have had the effect of depriving it of means even of keeping order within its own boundaries.

"Turkey's treaties with various European powers explicitly guarantee her integrity, and yet all the treaties thus guaranteeing against dismemberment are not worth as much as a single gunboat of the smallest size the minute that it becomes worth while for any serious opponent to attack her.

"It would be not merely foolish but wicked for us as a nation to agree to arbitrate any dispute that affects our vital interest or our independence or our honor; because such an agreement would amount on our part to a covenant to abandon our duty, to an agreement to surrender the rights of the American people about unknown matters at unknown times in the future. Such an agreement would be wicked if kept, and yet to break it—as it undoubtedly would be broken if the occasion arose—would be only less shameful than keeping it."

RICHESON'S INDICTMENT.

It Formally Charges Him With Poisoning His Sweetheart.

Boston, Mass.—After he had been formally served with the indictment charging him with poisoning his former sweetheart, Avis Linnell, the Rev. Clarence V. T. Richeson was visited in Charles Street Jail by Attorney John D. Lee, of Lynchburg, Va., a criminal lawyer, prominent in the South, who probably will direct the accused minister's fight for acquittal. Mr. Lee took up immediately the work of preparing the defense, and conferred at length with former Judge James R. Dunbar, his son, Philip R. Dunbar, and Congressman Robert O. Harris, who have been retained in Mr. Richeson's interest.

COST $1,730,526.72.

First Official Statement As To Expenses For "Maneuvers."

Washington.—The cost of protective measures taken by the United States along the Mexican border last spring became known for the first time Thursday with the publication of the annual report of Brig.-Gen. J. B. Aleshire, quartermaster-general of the army.

From March 6, when the orders for the mobilization were issued, to the end of the fiscal year, June 30, 1911, the total expense was $1,730,526.72. This is almost the grand total, as by June 30 a large part of the expense had been cut down.

MANY LIVES ENDANGERED.

Explosions At Powder Works Cause Much Damage.

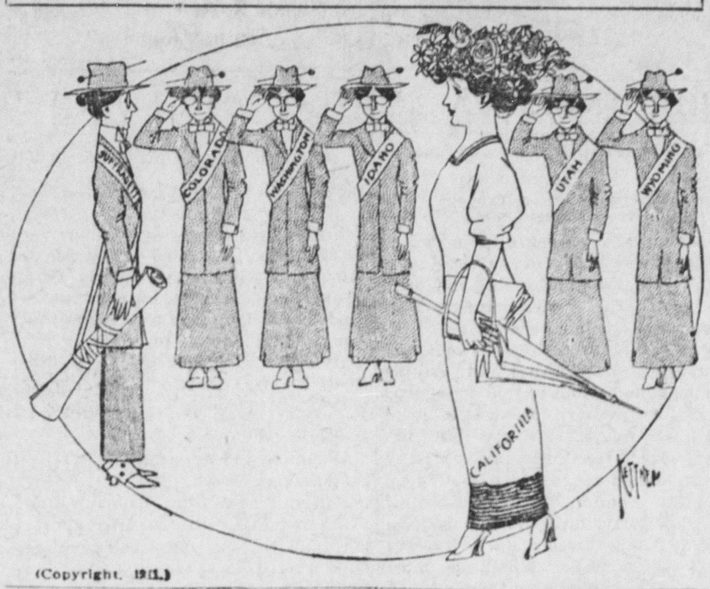
Paterson, N. J.—Three explosions at the Dupont Powder Works at Haskells caused a loss of about $60,000 and endangered the lives of about 30 men at the plant. One man, Foreman Edward Brown, was seriously injured and several others were hurled into the Passaic River and had to swim for their lives.

The explosions occurred in the ballistite plant of the powder works and before the fire that ensued was extinguished three buildings, the main plant and two storehouses, had been consumed.

Farmer Accused Of Poisoning Wife.

Whiteville, N. C.—As a result of charges by his wife's relatives that her death a week ago was caused by poison, Edgar Thompson, a prosperous young farmer, is under surveillance, pending the verdict of a coroner's jury. A large number of witnesses testified to Thompson's relations with another young woman living in the house with the family, and to Mrs. Thompson's request that in case of her sudden death the cause be inquired into.

THE LATEST RECRUIT



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TAFT REVIEWS THE BIG FLEET

Greatest Naval Review In America Carried Out With Clockwork Precision — Praise For Seamen.

New York.—Amid an oratorio of cannon firing, as tiny three-pounders roared the 21-gun salute to the Commander-in-Chief of the Navy and Army of the United States, President Taft Thursday reviewed the greatest armada Uncle Sam has ever gathered together.

With the Presidential pennant snapping in the chill morning air, the trim yacht Mayflower steamed through the mighty fleet, that President Taft might be assured, as Secretary Meyer was the day before, that the navy he commands is second only to that of England—and second then only in numbers. From the moment the Presidential flag was broken out on the Mayflower until the armada received the order to "up anchor" and pass in review, there was a constant barking of small guns as the customary courtesies were passed. New York hasn't heard such a cannonading since the days of the revolution.

ITALIANS REPORTED KILLED

Hundreds Of Prisoners Taken At Benghazi and At Outpost Of Tripoli — Other Italian Reverses.

Vienna.—King Victor's forces in Tripoli are threatened with worse than the disaster which has already overtaken them. There is danger of a clash with Austria. An anti-militarist and anti-monarchist uprising is imminent.

African news is still meagre owing to the Italian control of the cables, but it seems certain that the Turks have reoccupied the outskirts of the city of Tripoli and are likely to drive the Italians out entirely.

Reports that the Italians lost 5,000 killed and had 7,000 taken prisoners are accepted here as true.

Should the Turks recapture Tripoli they can hardly be blamed if a slaughter of Italians follows after the brutality of the Italian massacre of the Arabs—men, women and children—inside the city just before the Turkish attack began.

How many were slain is uncertain, but it is reliably reported that the native population was practically wiped out under pretense that they might attack the Italians from the rear while the latter were engaged with the Turks.

Whether it is true that the Rome Government is mobilizing 100,000 additional troops, as the Giornale d'Italia of Milan asserts, information received by the War Office here leaves no doubt that troops are being gathered quietly for a fresh expedition to Africa. The anti-militarists are so strong that a confession of the necessity for reinforcing the earlier expeditions, it is feared, would probably precipitate a dangerous uprising.

The shooting of Colonel Stroppa by Private Gaetano Masetti as the Twenty-fifth Infantry was leaving Bologna for Tripoli was not an isolated act of mutiny. Nearly all the troops on their way to the scene of hostilities are rebellious and the utmost difficulty is experienced by their officers in handling them. Official dispatches say his comrades wanted to lynch Masetti. The truth is that widespread sympathy is felt for him.

Angora Rabbits Now.

Washington.—A new pet for the amusement of society women troubled with ennui has been discovered by Mrs. J. E. Band, of this city, who appeared in the parks here leading a large white angora rabbit by a leash. Mrs. Band says her latest promenade companion beats a poodle dog.

For Care Of Children.

Milwaukee.—"We insist as much care be given to the breeding and welfare of children as is given to improving stock in horses and hens," declared the National Woman's Christian Temperance Union convention here.

May Abolish Tipping.

New York.—Listen! Under the guiding genius of Joseph Vehling, once one himself, waiters themselves are to abolish the tipping system, maybe. "It lowers the profession," they assert.

MANCHU TROOPS OUT OF CONTROL

Burn Hankow, Native City and Massacre People.

LIKE BANDS OF CUTTHROATS

Should the Chinese Rebels Ally Themselves With the Mohammedan Element the Movement May Spread Rapidly.

Peking.—The German Legation received a wireless message from the vicinity of Hankow, stating that the imperial forces burned the native city of Hankow, and confirming the report to the Chinese war board that the imperial troops massacred men, women and children during several days' fighting.

Letters from a correspondent at Sin-Yang-Chow, declared that General Yin Tchang's troops were beyond control. They are described as insubordinate, and as having looted the villages north of Hankow.

The imperials had the advantage in troops, but they were poorly provisioned. No prisoners were taken. Rebels captured alive were shot or decapitated. It is learned that the most barbarous outrages were perpetrated on innocent persons in the villages. An officer of Yin-Tchang's staff explained that the outrages were committed by only 40 men of the Hu-Peh division.

Gen. Ying-Tchang refused permission to the correspondents to proceed to the front and placed them under the strictest surveillance. At headquarters all telegrams undergo the strictest censorship.

The staff officers, says the correspondents, are quartered in an express train, with engine attached for immediate service. The chief of staff, Colonel Yoh, is now at the front directing operations.

The general staff consists mostly of German and Japanese trained men, but the campaign does not reflect much credit upon them, as they are seemingly ignorant of the country. The soldiers are not bothered by their officers and do as they please. Coming from the northern provinces they have no sympathy with the rebels.

POTASH IN THE U. S.

Our Farmers Will Save That $12,000,000 Paid To Germany.

Washington.—The American farmer will soon be freed from the domination of the German potash monopoly, it is predicted by officials of the Department of Agriculture here, who announced that vast potash deposits had been discovered in the United States.

This country now pays the Germans about $12,000,000 a year for potash products, and restrictions placed about the purchase of potash by foreigners almost led to serious complications between the two governments last winter.

Denver For 1912?

Denver.—Whether Denver will be a contender for the National Democratic convention in 1912 will be settled upon by the city's convention league this month. A quiet canvass is now under way, the purpose being to see whether contributors in 1908 will repeat their donations for 1912. The convention in 1908 cost Denver $112,000. Of this sum the city contributed $25,000. Whether this can again be raised appears doubtful.

Clark Bans Exclusiveness.

Washington.—Champ Clark refused to allow a private dining-room at the Capitol to be called the "Speaker's dining-room." "No private dining-rooms for me," he told the architects.

Trying To Catch Up.

Middletown, R. I.—The first "drunk and disorderly" this town has had in 150 years was arraigned before Judge Franklin. "Never mind me name," said the prisoner, "just tell 'em I'm makin' up for lost time."

NOVEMBER 30 THANKSGIVING

Country Signally Favored, He Says—Calls Attention To "Right Harvests" and Industries Thriving Beyond "Domestic Needs."

Chicago.—President Taft Monday issued his annual Thanksgiving proclamation, calling upon citizens of the United States to celebrate Thursday, November 30, as a day of thanksgiving and prayer. The proclamation reads as follows:

"The prople of this land, having long sanctioned and by practice set apart toward the close of each passing year a day on which to cease from their labors and assemble for the purpose of giving praise to Him who is the author of the blessings they have enjoyed, it is my duty as chief executive to designate at this time the day for the fulfillment of this devout purpose.

"Our country has been signally favored in many ways. The round of the seasons has brought right harvests. Our industries have thriven far beyond our domestic needs; the productions of our labor are daily finding enlarged markets abroad. We have been free from the curses of pestilence, of famine and of war.

"Our national consuls have furthered the cause of peace in other lands, and the spirit of benevolence has brought us into closer touch with other peoples to the strengthening of the bonds of fellowship and good will that link us to our comrades in the universal brotherhood of nations.

"Strong in the sense of our own right and inspired by as strong a sense of the rights of others, we live in peace and harmony with the world. Rich in the priceless possession and abundant resources wherewith the unstinted bounty of God has endowed us, we are unselfishly glad when other peoples pass onward to prosperity and peace.

"That the great privileges we enjoy may continue, and that each coming year may see our country more firmly established in the regard and esteem of our fellow nations, is the prayer that should arise in every thankful heart.

"Wherefore, I, William Howard Taft, President of the United States of America, designate Thursday, the 30th day of November next, as a day of Thanksgiving and prayer, and I earnestly call upon my countrymen and upon all that dwell under the flag of our beloved country then to meet in their accustomed places of worship to join in offering prayers to Almighty God and devout thanks for the loving mercies He has given to us.

"In witness thereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed."

Done at the city of Chicago this 30th day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eleven, and of the independence of the United States of America the one hundred and thirty-sixth. By the President,

P. C. KNOX,
Secretary of State.

SOCIETY WAITS ON "BUMS."

Silk-Hatted Men Also Serve Food To the Downtrodden.

Chicago.—Society women in costly gowns and capitalists in silk hats waited on bums at the opening of the "ten cents for a meal and a sermon" mission here.

DEVIL'S DREAMER CRAZY.

Man Spent Five Years Composing It As Gift To Taft.

Morgantown, W. Va. — Alfred Carnes, 23 years old, who spent near five years writing "The Devil's Dream," which he planned to present to President Taft, has been sent to an insane asylum.

DROWNED WITH $30,000.

Search For Miner's Body Fruitless—Sixty Feet Of Water Pumped.

Morristown, N. J.—Sixty feet of water pumped from the Hibernia mine, where 12 men were killed, has not revealed their bodies. Frank Liska, one of those drowned, is said to have had $30,000 on his person.

KISSES WIN STATION.

Twenty Girls Of Oklahoma Town Trade Their Osculations.

Herrick, Okla.—Twenty of the city's prettiest girls offered kisses to General Manager Kouns, of the Santa Fee, if he would give the town a new railroad station.

CORSET SAVES WOMAN.

Husband's Attack With Knife Frustrated By Steel Rib.

New York.—A steel corset rib alone saved Mrs. Esther Levy when her husabnd attacked her with a knife. The point turned as it struck the corset.

FIRST WOMAN JURY.

It Has Been Called In California To Try An Editor.

Watts, Cal.—The first woman jury in California has been summoned to try Editor A. A. King, of the Watts News, charged with circulating obscene language through his paper.

Smoked In Bed—Dead.

New York.—Edward Fleet smoked a cigarette in bed Tuesday night, fell asleep and burned to death when the bedding caught fire.

SUSPECT WOMAN OF POISONINGS

Circumstances of Death of Family Suspicious.

PROBING BY THE POLICE

She Has Lost Two Husbands, Two Stepchildren, Three Children and Two Roomers At Her Boarding House.

Chicago, November 1. — Chicago police are investigating into the death of nearly half a score of relatives and acquaintances of Mrs. Louise Vermilya to make certain whether the similar demises constituted only a remarkable series of coincidences, as Mrs. Vermilya asserts. Nine deaths are included in the list with which Mrs. Vermilya's name has been connected, including two husbands, two stepchildren, three children and two roomers at boarding-houses she kept.

Developments following the establishment of police surveillance at the woman's home came from several cities where she had lived. Pending the report of the toxicologists, who are examining the viscera of the last of the persons whose deaths have occurred beneath Mrs. Vermilya's roof, the police have made no arrests. No positive evidence of crime has been uncovered. The following new facts became known:

That while Mrs. Vermilya has said one of the death roster, Richard T. Smith, a conductor, was only a boarder at her home, a former roomer asserts the two claimed previously to have been married and that they lived together as man and wife.

That, while the woman told the police she had assisted an undertaker at Crystal Lake, a former home, in embalming bodies, the undertaker there denies she ever had any such experience. She gave this as a reason why she could discuss the deaths with composure.

That R. N. Bruington, a photographer of Peoria, and brother-in-law of Conductor Smith, had made love to the widow following Smith's death so as to investigate suspicions he then had about the reason for his relative's demise, and that the widow had told him part of her matrimonial history, which he desires to give to the coroner.

That Smith died during convulsions and after drinking some substance, whether medicine or not being unsettled, but that the doctors gave the cause of death, from descriptions of symptoms given by the widow, as acute gastritis.

Mrs. Vermilya told inquirers she had never studied medicine, nor sought to become a nurse, as had been reported, but that she had some little knowledge of medicines, that she had acquired to enable her to aid neighbors and relatives. She insisted she was innocent. The deaths being looked into follow: Fred Brinkamp, first husband of Mrs. Vermilya, died on a farm near Barrington, Ill., after a brief illness.

Charles Vermilya, second husband, died after six days' illness of "gastritis," at Maplewood, Ill.

Florence Brinkamp, four-year-old daughter, died at Barrington.

Cora Brinkamp, eight-year-old daughter, died at Barrington.

Harry G. Vermilya, stepson, 35 years old.

Lillian Brinkamp, stepdaughter, 26 years old.

Frank Brinkamp, son, died of pneumonia in Chicago.

Richard T. Smith, reported to be third husband.

Arthur Bissonette, policeman, roomer, to whom she was engaged. Died of "gastritis" last Thursday.

Indians Keep Children From School.

Washington.—In an effort to induce the refractory Indians in the Hopi villages in Arizona to send their children to the government schools, Col. Hugh L. Scott, Third Cavalry, has been relieved from duty with the General Staff here and ordered to Arizona to act under the instructions of the Interior Department. The Indians have absolutely declined to yield to demands of the government that their children shall be educated, and it is hoped that Colonel Scott, who has a wide acquaintance among the Pueblo Indians and is popular with them, can induce them to yield.

To Be Interred In United States.

Washington.—The body of Allen Gard, consul at Ceiba, Honduras, who shot himself last Friday, will be brought to the United States for burial. Acting upon the request of William E. Gard, of South Orange, N. J., the father of the dead man, the State Department telegraphed the necessary instructions to Acting Consul John R. Hicks at that place.

Aid Worn-Out Horses.

Newburgh, N. Y.—Worn-out horses from New York city are to be brought here to recuperate, then to be bled, the blood to be used in making anti-tuberculosis serum.

City Budget, $189,000,000.

New York.—The city budget for the coming year will be $189,000,000, according to latest estimates. It may be a trifle over that—by a few million or so.

SERIAL STORY

No Man's Land

A ROMANCE

By Louis Joseph Vance

Illustrations by Ray Walters

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SYNOPSIS.

Garrett Coast, a young man of New York City, meets Douglas Blackstock, who invites him to a card party. He accepts, although he dislikes Blackstock, the reason being that both are in love with Katherine Thaxter.

CHAPTER I.—(Continued.)

He felt her eyes upon him, seriously sweet and questioning, and frowned slightly, wishing he had held his tongue, though aware that he could not have, caring the way he did.

"Why not tell me? I'm waiting, Garrett."

"Well. . . ." It was difficult: an impertinence; incredible, besides. But now that he had committed himself, he stiffened a resolve and plunged. "It was said that your engagement to this man Blackstock would be announced before long."

That out bluntly, he caught a long breath and, divided between fear and faith, sat watching her.

The seconds of her silence spun for him an hour of anguish.

"Katherine . . ."

She turned. "Yes?"

"Have you nothing to say?" he asked involuntarily, and at once regretted it.

"What do you wish me to say?" Her tone was dull, as if she spoke mechanically, with a mind detached.

"Either affirm or deny. You owe me that, at least."

"Do I?" She seemed surprised. "But what," she pursued, rousing, "does 'this man Blackstock'—"

"You know I don't like him, Katherine. I can't."

"But I can and do, Garrett."

There was simplicity in that, almost confessional. His fears assailed him more imperiously.

"Then it's true? Don't tell me that!"

"What does Mr. Blackstock say?"

"I haven't interviewed him, of course. I seemed too absurd—"

"Why?"

The only report he had at command was pitifully inadequate: "Because I love you."

"Is that any reason why Mr. Blackstock should not?"

"There are reasons why you shouldn't let your name be coupled with his."

"And they are—?"

She put it crisply. His heart sank, foreseeing defeat. He veered at a tangent, evasive. "You haven't answered me. Is there any truth in this rumor?"

"Not yet."

"You mean it may be true—later?"

"It's possible," she affirmed quietly. "Mr. Blackstock has asked me to marry him; he hasn't as yet had my answer."

"Katherine! . . . You can't really—care for him?"

"I'm trying to be sure, Garrett, before I tell him so—or you."

"But—but you mustn't! . . . The thing's impossible. . . . You—"

"You'll tell me why?"

Her composure was sobering. He got himself more in hand: she was not to be moved by storming, he knew. Reason, logic, an appeal to her intelligence: she would require these of him. Yet when put to it he could not bring himself to tell what he knew of the man by hearsay, if very credibly. Personal defects, lack of breeding, and the like were all unstable objections. . . . In the end the best he could do, since some sort of an answer was essential, was to frame a halting, inconclusive: "He's not the sort. . . ."

She misinterpreted his confusion. "I know what you're thinking: that he's not a spoke in our particular social wheel; an outsider. Must I condemn him for that? Are there no right men, Garrett, but yourself and others of our 'set?' I know he has his lacks; I fancy you'd call him crude, if you were candid with me. But men of his genius, his upbringing . . . Not that I concede any crudity in him; it's hardly that: he merely lacks—something—difficult to name it; not cultivation, not sensibility, but, I'd say, friends."

"He has many. . . ."

So she cared enough to fight for him! There was bitterness, surpassing the bitterness of aloes, in that discovery.

"I mean the right kind, yourself, for instance; friends to bring him out. He's quick, adaptable, of a good family—if not a wealthy one."

Coast fell back upon the one mentionable objection of which he had certain knowledge. "He's got a villainous temper."

"Friends would teach him to control it. And there are excuses for that: his sight—his eyes are in a bad way. He injured them seriously, somehow, in his work—something about the spark, I believe."

"Those wireless experiments of his?"

"Yes. He's going to do great things, Garrett."

"Late in the field."

"He leads it today; they all look to him. His inventions, discoveries, improvements, will make wireless as every-day a thing as the telephone. . . . I don't mean he couldn't win without friends: he's strong enough . . ."

"Men have little use for him, Katherine."

"Women have."

Coast strangled temptation. . . . "He has magnetism."

"That and strength, ambition, enthusiasm. He's worth being a friend to. I want you to know him better, to like him, Garrett."

After a little he managed to say: "I'll try, if you wish."

"I do wish. Please, Garrett."

"Then I'm to understand you seriously contemplate marrying him?"

Her "Yes!" was absolute.

"Don't you see"—he hated himself for this—"he's after your money, Katherine?"

"Garrett, that is unworthy of you."

He said nothing, doggedly taking what comfort he might from the knowledge that he was right.

Gradually he comprehended that in the course of their conversation the car had left Fifth Avenue at the Plaza and was crossing Central Park at the Seventy-second Street entrance.

"We're near the gate," he said abruptly. "If you'll drop me there, please—"

"Certainly. Tell Patrick."

Coast groped for the speaking tube and communicated with the driver. When he sat back he was conscious of the woman's softening regard.

"You're not angry, Katherine?"

"No, Garrett; but I'm very, very sorry."

"If I've seemed presumptuous—"

"To me, Garrett? Can you remember the time when we were not—friends?"

"No. . . . I want you to understand that it wasn't altogether because I want you myself—need you, because I love you—as you know—have loved you for years. . . . It was jealousy of your happiness. I said nothing that I didn't believe."

"I know. But you were—are mistaken. You'll come to understand."

"I don't want you to make a mistake. Wait, Katherine, wait a little before deciding. I'm sure of your heart: it won't misguide you."

"I believe not. I know my heart and mind."

"You know mine," he said gently, and no more.

That stabbed her; she winced, wondering why. But the personality of Douglas Blackstock stood forth so largely, limned in such vivid coloring, in the foreground of her consciousness, that there was left little room, even for old friends such as Garrett Coast.

Afoot, Coast lingered at the door, keen eyes searching hers almost plaintively.

"I'll drop in for tea tomorrow, if you ask me, Katherine."

"Have you ever needed an invitation, Garrett?"

"Then I'll come."

He nodded to the driver and the car swept away.

Long after it had shot out of sight, he stood staring. Then discovering himself bareheaded, hat and stick in hand, an object of amused regard, with a curt laugh of confusion and awakened self-consciousness, he turned back through the park.

CHAPTER II.

Resigning with little reluctance his place at the card table to Dundas, whose turn it was to cut in, Coast lighted a cigarette and wandered round the dining-room of Blackstock's apartment, idly inspecting the half-dozen hunting-prints that adorned the green burlap walls.

Unspeakably bored, he went to the buffet, where he poured a very little Scotch into a tall glass, drowning it with icy charged water. He had refused to drink up to that moment, and was thirsty, but as he sat sipping and watching the players, Van Tuyl's unnatural pallor, moist hair and fixed smile affected him with a faint disgust, and he put the glass aside, not half-emptied. His brows knitted in his concern for the man, who had been drinking heavily and would pursue that madness until satiated or sodden: no influence that Coast knew of would restrain him; he was as unmanageable as a wild horse, and as spirited.

Slender, graceful, high lord of Devil-may-Care, Van Tuyl sober was inimitable, more loved than feared in spite of, perhaps because of, the wit he wielded like a whip-lash. Excesses fanned that brilliancy to a burning frenzy; at such times he knew no friends, and those who knew him avoided him; his wits, submerged, frothed with a satiric humor that etched as indelibly as an acid when he did not lay on with a bludgeon of vituperation. . . . A dangerous foil to Blackstock, Coast thought, comparing them, wondering that they were so much together. Contrasting them he thought: fire and tow, rapier and broadsword!

Blackstock was the broadsword of that comparison, heavy and cumbersome if capable. Without an effort he dominated the others, Van Tuyl always excepted; the sheer weight of Blackstock's personality forced them into the background. Little Dundas, with his deferential smile, delicately pink face and permanently rounded shoulders, seemed the veriest shadow of a man: Blackstock's shadow he had apparently constituted himself. Truax, round of face and blandly practical, if unquestionably independent, was only less dwarfed by his host.

"A good bridger"—Blackstock in the current slang: giving himself wholly to the game, playing to win, "wolfing the tricks," Van Tuyl told him.

The comment brought a darkish smile to the man's face.

"What d'you want me to do with 'em?" he growled semi-humorously, flipping a card from his hand and as swiftly making his play from dummy. "Make you a present of 'em? . . . Play to that, now; come through with that ten-spot." He chuckled as he gathered in the trick and led the final card from dummy. "That'll teach you to double my original make, I guess. . . . Game and rubber, Dunny: six without, doubled, and a little slam. Got that down?"

"Yes," replied Dundas, grinning feebly as he jotted down the score.

"Tough luck, partner," Truax observed to Van Tuyl. "You couldn't help doubling on your hand, of course, and equally of course I had to be chicane in hearts."

"Brains, rather," observed Van Tuyl blandly, shuffling.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

"Brains, Rather," Observed Van Tuyl Blandly.

Different.

"Why, a year ago you told me this place was easily worth $15,000. Now you estimate its value at less than $10,000."

"You must remember that I was trying to sell it to you then. Now you want me to sell it for you."

Foreign Health Resorts.

According to the latest statistics about $40,045,000 is expended each year by visitors from foreign countries who take the "cure" at the natural mineral spring resorts in western Bohemia, along the Erzgebirge (Ore mountains).

COMMERCIAL

Weekly Review of Trade and Market Reports.

R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade says:

"Reports from the principal trade centers are nearly satisfactory, indicating a fair volume of activity, and in the Northwest the feeling is that conditions in that section have fully recovered from the setback of last year.

"Limited stocks of cotton goods and woolens result in a prompt revival of consumptive demand and inducements are now offered for increased production. Favorable prices named on dress fabrics and men's wear are also stimulating factors. Immediate shipments are asked for and small orders are frequently repeated. Heavy brown and colored domestics are being ordered to the end of the year. In woolens there is an active demand for heavy weight men's wear and some lines of fancy worsteds have sold so well that advances have been obtained. Trading in footwear has been checked to some extent by higher quotations, but Eastern manufacturers are well employed on current orders. Leather continues firm."

Bradstreet's says:

"Trade displays little change, with perhaps a slightly greater tendency toward irregularity. Yet the consensus of reports from many markets, barring some at the South, indicate that retail trade has been materially helped by cooler weather. Proceeding to the larger lines, the reports, as a whole, do not indicate anything better than fair, though the low condition of retailers' stocks, coupled with the fact that final distribution is now likely to increase, may, and probably will, eventuate in much small-lot buying, as well as in the reinstatement of orders heretofore canceled by timid buyers."

Wholesale Markets

NEW YORK—Wheat—Spot steady; No. 2 red, 102¼c elevator export basis and 102⅜ f o b afloat; No. 1 Northern Duluth, 118½ f o b afloat.

Corn—Spot steady; new corn, January, February and March, 71¼ f o b afloat; export No. 2, 81c old f o b nominal.

Butter—Firm; receipts, 5,181 packages; creamery specials, per lb, 33c; extra, 32; first, 28½@30; seconds, 26@27½; thirds, 24@25; creamery held, specials, 31; extras, 29½@30; firsts, 28@29; seconds, 25½@27; thirds, 24@25; state dairy tubs, finest, 30@31; do, common to fair, 22@26; process, seconds, 21@22; factory, current make, seconds, 21; thirds, 19@20.

Eggs—Firm; receipts, 6,461 cases, fresh gathered extras, per dozen, 31@32c; extra firsts, 27@29; firsts, 24@26; seconds, 20@23; fresh gathered checks, prime, 16@16½.

Poultry—Alive irregular; Western chickens, 12@13c; fowls, 12@13½; turkeys, 16. Dressed weak; Western chickens, 10@16c; fowls, 7@16½c; turkeys, broiling, 23; others, 10@20.

PHILADELPHIA—Wheat—Steady; contract grade, No. 2, red, in export elevator, 97@98c.

Corn—Firm; No. 2 yellow, for local trade, 83½@84c.

Oats—Quiet; No. 2 white natural, 53@53½c.

Butter—Firm; Western creamery 10c higher; extra Western creamery, 34; do, nearby prints, 35.

Eggs—Firm; Pennsylvania and other nearby firsts, f c, $8.40 per case; do, current receipts, f c, $7.80 per case; Western firsts, f c, $8.40 per case; do, current receipts, f c, $7.50@7.80 per case.

Cheese—Quiet; New York full cream fancy, 15c; do, fair to good, 14@14½.

Live poultry—Firm; fowls, 12@13c; old roosters, 9@9½; spring chickens, 12@13; ducks, 13@14; geese, 13@14; turkeys, 15@18.

BALTIMORE—Wheat—Settling prices were; No. 2 red Western, 100¾; contract, 98¾; No. 3 red, 97¾; steamer No. 2 red, 95; steamer, No. 2 red Western, 95⅝. The closing was easier; spot and October, 98¾; November, 99¾; December, 101.

Corn—Spot, 79 nominal; year, 68⅛; January, 68 bid; February, 68¼; March, 68⅜.

Oats—No. 2 white, 51½c; standard white, 51; No. 3 white, 50½; lightweight white oats are bringing a premium over the above prices.

Hay—Timothy—No. 1, $24@24.50; No. 2, $22.50@23.50; No. 3, $19@21. Clover, Mixed—Choice, $22@22.50; No. 1, $21.50; No. 2, $19@20. Clover—No. 1, $21.50@22; No. 2, $19@21.

Butter—Creamery, fancy, 30½@31; creamery, choice, 28½@29; creamery, good, 25@27; creamery, imitation, 22@24; creamery, prints, 30@32.

Eggs—Maryland, Pennsylvania and nearby firsts, 27c; Western firsts, 27; West Virginia firsts, 26; Southern firsts, 25@25½; guinea eggs, 13@14.

Live Stock

CHICAGO—Close: Cattle—Beeves, $4.55@8.75; Texas steers, $4@5.85; Western steers, $4.15@7; stockers and feeders, $2.90@5.75; cows and heifers, $1.90@5.85; calves, $5@8.50.

Hogs—Market 5c higher; strong; light, $5.70@6.40; mixed, $5.80@6.50; heavy, $5.75@6.45; rough, $5.80@6.05; good to choice heavy, $6.05@6.45; pigs, $3.75@5.85; bulk of sales, $6.20@6.35.

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Want a Cook
Want a Clerk
Want a Partner
Want a Situation
Want a Servant Girl
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Want to Sell a Carriage
Want to Sell Town Property
Want to Sell Your Groceries
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Want Customers for Anything
Advertise Weekly in This Paper.
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Advertising Shows Pluck
Advertising Is "Biz"
Advertise or Bust
Advertise Long
Advertise Well
ADVERTISE
At Once

In This Paper

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Catch the Drift?
Here's the medium to reach the people of this community.

BOALSBURG TAVERN
BOALSBURG, PA.
AMOS KOCH, PROPRIETOR
This well-known hostelry is prepared to accommodate all travelers. 'Bus to and from all trains stopping at Oak Hall Station. Every effort is made to accommodate the traveling public. Livery attached.

OLD FORT HOTEL
EDWARD ROYER, Proprietor. RATES: $1.00 Per Day
Location: One mile south of Centre Hall
Accommodations first-class. Parties wishing to enjoy an evening given special attention. Meals for such occasions prepared on short notice. Always prepared for the transient trade.

DR. SOL. M. NISSLEY,
VETERINARY SURGEON.
A graduate of the University of Penn'a. Office at Palace Livery Stable, Bellefonte, Pa. Both 'phones.
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CURES: Flesh Wounds, Ulcers, Felons, Carbuncles, Boils, Erysipelas, Scrofula, Tetter, Eczema, White Swelling, Skin Eruptions, Fever Sores, Piles, Burns, Scalds, Chilblains, Corns, Bunions, Chapped Hands, Etc., Etc.
By Mail 25c. DR. SMITH CO., Centre Hall.

Centre Reporter, $1 a year, in advance.

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D. F. FORTNEY
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW
BELLEFONTE, PA.
Office North of Court House.

W. HARRISON WALKER
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW
BELLEFONTE, PA.
No. 19 W. High Street.
All professional business promptly attended to

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GETTIG, BOWER & ZERBY
ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW
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BELLEFONTE, PA.
Successors to ORVIS, BOWER & ORVIS
Consultation in English and German.

N. B. SPANGLER
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW
BELLEFONTE, PA
Practices in all the courts. Consultation in English and German. Office, Crider's Exchange Building.
1yr.

CLEMENT DALE
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW
BELLEFONTE, PA
Office N. W. corner Diamond, two doors from First National Bank.
1yr

Penn's Valley Banking Company
CENTRE HALL, PA.
W. B. MINGLE, Cashier
Receives Deposits . .
Discounts Notes . . .

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Jno. F. Gray & Son
(Successors to GRANT HOOVER)
Control Sixteen of the Largest Fire and Life Insurance Companies in the World. . . . .
THE BEST IS THE CHEAPEST . . . .
No Mutuals
No Assessments
Before insuring your life see the contract of THE HOME which in case of death between the tenth and twentieth years returns all premiums paid in addition to the face of the policy.
Money to Loan on First Mortgage
Office in Crider's Stone Building
BELLEFONTE, PA.
Telephone Connection

MARBLE AND GRANITE MONUMENTS.

H. G. STROHMEIER,
CENTRE HALL, ... PENN.
Manufacturer of and Dealer in
HIGH GRADE . . .
MONUMENTAL WORK
in all kinds of
Marble AND Granite.
Don't fail to get my prices.

LARGEST INSURANCE Agency IN CENTRE COUNTY
H. E. FENLON
Agent
Bellefonte, Penn'a.
The Largest and Best
Accident Ins. Companies
Bonds of Every Description. Plate Glass Insurance at low rates.

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ISSUED WEEKLY.

S. W. SMITH, . . . Editor and Proprietor.

Entered at the Post Office in Centre Hall as Second Class mail matter.

CENTRE HALL, . . . PENN'A.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 9, 1911

CHURCH APPOINTMENTS.

Presbyterian—Centre Hall, morning; Spring Mills, afternoon.

Lutheran—Spring Mills, morning; Tusseyville, afternoon; Centre Hall, evening.

United Evangelical—Lemont, morning; Linden Hall, afternoon; Tusseyville, evening, report of State Sabbath-school Convention.

FOR THE HORSE GROWER.

Why Not Fill the Demands for Horses and Mules in the East From Eastern Farmers?

The western horse finds a ready market in the east. This is true for many years past. Perhaps one of the chief reasons is that the horses and mules shipped from the west represent the best horses grown there, and not the culls. The writer once heard a horse buyer say that when he went into a western farmer's stable the best horses were offered for sale, but in the east the farmer offered the horse that had the least merits; he was offered more to be rid of than because he was a horse of quality.

The advertisement below appeared in the Worth county Times, published in Grant city, Missouri, by E. S. Garver and H. H. Garver, father and son, the former a native of Potter township. A close reading of the matter will impress one how careful the western horse buyer is to not only select size, but quality as well. Here is the advertisement:

We want 500 head of nice, smooth native horses for the New Jersey market; 4 to 10 years old; weighing 900 to 1200 pounds, and they must be broke good to work. We want all the first-class good big horses, finished, from 1500 to 2000 pounds, we can get, but they must be good ones, 5 to 8 years old, sound and well broke. We want mules 4 to 8 years old, of good quality, any size, but want them good in their class. Will be at W. B. Coverdell's feed barn, on Monday November 6.

MAC CLEMONS & SON.

Reporter Register.

Maynard Meeker, Potters Mills
Ruth Bartges and Rosie Fisher, Centre Hall
Morris Davis, Altoona
Elsie Boal, Centre Hall
Mrs. Agnes Meyer and daughter Bertha, Linden Hall
Mrs. Ida McClintic and daughter Roxanna, Linden Hall
H. Lee and J. C. Brooks, Centre Hall
A. W. Nevil, Tusseyville
A. C. Condo, Columbus, Ohio
Rev. L. C. Cooper, Burnham
Mrs. F. D. and Clara Walker, Centre Hall
Mrs. Charles Weaver, Centre Hall
Gabriel Ried Maguire, Plainfield, N. J.
M. B. Morris, Philadelphia
H. W. Rote, Spring Mills

Marriage Licenses.

John Muirhead, Clarence
Elizabeth Chambers, Clarence
Louis L. Grubb, Milesburg
Ruth A. Moyer, Pleasant Gap
Foster Garman, Bellefonte
Martha Riter, Bellefonte
J. W. Ammeran, Martha Furnace
Cordie E. Moore, Howard
William D. Schreffler, Bellefonte
Cora E. Tressler, Bellefonte
Hebert L. Wyland, Howard
Agatha M. Wensel, Howard

LOCALS.

Miss Jennie Stahl visited among friends in State College.

Miss Edna Robinson, of Sunbury, is visiting her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. John Geary.

D. L. Bartges, of near Old Fort, had a fine crop of potatoes, the yield being nearly one thousand bushels.

The Bricker brothers at Boalsburg advertise for sale a Foos gasoline engine, a feed mill, and wood saw.

Progress Grange will, as usual, serve a Thanksgiving supper in Grange Arcadia to which all are invited.

Mrs. Calvin Swartz, of Menno, South Dakota, is visiting her mother, Mrs. John Brandt, of Penn township, who has been seriously ill.

Misses Anna and Mary Grove, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Grove, went to Philadelphia several weeks ago, and will remain for an indefinite time.

Rev. Eml. Keen, of Lemoyne; Mrs. M. I. Jamison, of Hagerstown Maryland, and Mrs. J. W. King, of Laurelton, attended the funeral of Mrs. S. R. Lingle, at Millheim.

David Rimmy, of Pleasant Gap, fell from an apple tree last week, and at first it was thought he was seriously injured, but in a few days he was able to be about again as usual.

The W. C. T. U. will hold a regular meeting Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. George Goodhart, and on Saturday evening the L. T. L. will meet at the home of Mrs. W. H. Kreamer.

There is little danger from a cold or from an attack of the grip except when followed by pneumonia, and this never happens when Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is used. This remedy has won its great reputation and extensive sale by its remarkable cures of colds and grip and can be relied upon with implicit confidence. For sale by all dealers.

HER ENGAGEMENT.

It Started Conflicting Emotions at Work in Her Mother.

Mrs. DeGroff drew a deep sigh when her daughter told her that she had become engaged to Mr. Bobles.

"I suppose it's foolish of me to feel so bad about it," she said, wiping her eyes, but I can't help it. I know it's a woman's destiny to be married, dear, and I have always hoped that you would marry and be happy. But a mother can never lose a daughter without feeling deeply on the subject. She can never help regarding it as an awful loss—a tragedy. She cannot give up her little girl, even to the best man that ever lived, without the deepest reluctance."

"But, mother, dear, I shall come and see you often. And you mustn't cry as if it were going to happen right away. You will have time to get used to it."

"Will I? How soon are you to be married?"

"Not for nearly a year. Bob thinks that"—

"Not for a year? What on earth does he mean by putting it off that long? I don't believe he intends to marry you at all, the smirking young snip! If he did he'd insist on having the wedding right away. And I shall tell him so. You bring him to time, Clara. You tell him that he'll either marry you next month or never. Huh! I'll show him!"

MAKING UMBRELLAS.

The Way These Necessary Articles Are Put Together.

In most umbrella factories the task of turning out ribs and stems is left to other factories making a specialty of those parts. These are sent to the manufacturer, and the man whose work it is to assemble the parts inserts a bit of wire into the small holes at the end of the ribs, draws them together about the main rod and adjusts the ferrule.

In cutting the cloth or silk seventy-five thicknesses or thereabouts are arranged upon a table at which skilled operators work. In one department there are girls who operate hemming machines. A thousand yards of hemmed goods is but a day's work for one of these girls. The machines doing this job attain a speed of some 3,000 revolutions a minute. After the hemming has been done the cloth or silk is cut into triangular pieces with a knife, as before, but with a pattern laid upon the cloth. The next operation is the sewing of the triangular pieces together by machinery.

The covers and frames are now ready to be brought together. In all there are twenty-one places where the cover is to be attached to the frame. The handle is next glued on, and the umbrella is ready for pressing and inspection.

The Medicine of Generosity.

Generosity has wonderful power in curing trouble which by any other means would seem incurable. The story is told of a poor blind woman in Paris who put 27 francs on the plate at a missionary meeting. A friend remonstrated, "You cannot afford so much out of your small earnings." "Oh, yes, I can," she answered; "I've figured it out and know just what I can afford to give." When asked to explain she said: "I am blind, and I said to my fellow straw workers, 'How much money do you spend in a year for oil in your lamps when it is too dark to work at nights?' They replied, 'Twenty-seven francs.' So," said the poor woman, "I found that I saved so much in the year because I am blind and do not need a lamp, and I give it to send light to the dark heathen lands."—Christian Herald.

Told His Fortune.

While crossing the East Boston ferry the other evening a little fellow approached me, saying, "Tell yer fortune for a nickel, mister."

After a few words with the young fellow I consented. He took my hand and said, "At first I thought you were going to become a rich man, but it's all off now."

I asked him his reason.

"Well, yer see, boss, anybody who parts with his money on a scheme like I played you for will never be one of them financiers."

I gave him another nickel for his philosophy.—Boston Traveler.

They Used to Eat Crows.

Our forefathers despised some dishes which we regard as delicacies. In the thirteenth century, for instance, although partridges abounded in England, they were eaten only by peasants and were never seen in the houses of the nobles. Hares, too, were despised by the upper classes, and even among the poor a strong prejudice existed against them. On the other hand, gourmets in the middle ages ate herons, cranes, crows, storks, cormorants, bitterns and other birds which would revolt the least dainty feeder of today.—London Chronicle.

Turn About.

"Every husband ought to make his bride a regular allowance from the start," said a guest at a wedding reception in New York.

"This is but just," he continued, "because from the start every bride finds that she must constantly make allowances for her husband."

In a Pinch.

"Can't you assume a little more pleasing expression of countenance?" asked the photographer.

"Y-yes, sir," hesitatingly answered the sitter. "Wait a minute and I'll take off these new shoes."—Chicago Tribune.

RIDING A CAMEL.

A Strenuous Task That Promotes a Love of Walking.

Riding a camel is by no means an easy or enjoyable method of locomotion, according to the description given by Mr. M. J. Randall in his book, "Sinai In Spring:"

"If asked 'How do you ride a camel?' I reply invent as many attitudes as you can and employ them all in turn; adjust and readjust the rugs and cushions on which you sit; ride straight; ride crooked; ride with stirrups made of rope; ride without them; hitch first your right knee round the front pommel, then your left knee; stretch yourself wide legged over the saddlebags regardless of the firearms, dates, crockery, etc., which they contain until nature commands you to make a less obtuse angle; ride side saddle, if you can persuade your Bedouin that it is possible to do so without prejudice to the camel. Ride how you will and when you will, but, above all—walk. Not only is the sheik himself glad—at your suggestion, but not otherwise—to mount for awhile, but it is a lesson in graceful riding to watch him perched up there, heaven knows how, in some oriental way you have never dreamed of, and it is a lesson in courtesy to mark how at every turn of the road he offers to forego his pipe of peace—chibouk—and post of comfort and descend to the sand, leaving you to incumber his beast of burden."

LUGGAGE IN ENGLAND.

None of It Goes Astray Because the People Are All Very Honest.

Certain strangers within our gates have been wondering at our dealing with passengers' luggage—how much better the system of other countries, where you get a receipt and when the bag goes astray the official assures you it is impossible because there is the receipt. So you go to bed and get up and dress in your bit of paper.

Our method is insular and on the face of it chaotic. We throw our luggage to the mercy of some unknown porter. At the end of the journey we find a sort of lucky tub of portable property piled on the platform, and we plunge about and pick out what we want. You know the scene—a hundred people who have only to say "That's mine" to a strange porter in order to get it.

Thus badly stated the system looks like chaos and the invitation to a general scramble for other men's goods. In practice it works out well, for every one, from porter to passenger, is on his honor, and—this is the point—luggage in England is safer than in any other civilized country.—Westminster Gazette.

The Steamboat.

Fulton himself said one day: "Neither M. Desblancs nor I invented the steamboat. If that glory belongs to any one it is to the author of the experiments at Lyons—of the experiments made in 1783 on the Saone." The one Fulton had in mind and to whom he thus generously rendered the "glory" was the Marquis de Jouffray, born in 1751, fourteen years before the year of Fulton's birth. Jouffray's claim to be regarded as the inventor of the steamboat stands thus: His vessel, built in 1783, notwithstanding its faulty construction, embodied all the elements essential to success. In it he anticipated Watts' invention of a steam engine having a constant and unremitting action. Lack of funds was the only thing that stood in the way of his getting all the honors that came later to Robert Fulton.—New York American.

The Laugh on Edison.

There are many stories of Edison. One of his early childhood is recorded on the authority of his only sister. When he was about six years old he found out that a goose belonging to the family was sitting. Later he saw the surprising result in a number of goslings. One day he was missing. He was sought everywhere, but no one could find him until at length his father discovered him in the barn curled up in a nest he had made and filled with goose eggs and hen eggs. He was sitting on the eggs and trying to hatch them!—London Tatler.

Synonmys.

The French Canadian always has trouble with the aspirate "th." At a debating club in the province of Quebec members were required to draw a slip from a hat and debate upon the subject they received. A young countryman arose.

"I have drew the word 'bat.' I must told you dere is two, tree different kind of bat. Dere is de bat wot you play the baseball wit, de bat wot fly in de air at night and also de bat where you take de swim."—Success Magazine.

After the Honeymoon.

"Anyhow, Jack, you cannot say that I ran after you at the time of our marriage."

"You never spoke a truer word, Maria, but neither does the mousetrap run after the mouse, yet it catches it all the same."

Shorn.

"Miss Ella, was your bazaar a success?"

"Glorious! All the men had to walk home!"—Meggendorfer Blatter.

His Last Residence.

Lawyer (to witness)—Now, then, Mr. Murphy, give us your last residence. Murphy—Faith, sor, Oi dunno, but it'll be the cimitery, O'm thinkin'!

Behavior is a mirror in which every one displays his image.—Goethe.

ON THE STREET

As you walk down the street you occasionally see some young man whose appearance is unusual and his carriage as he walks along impresses you strongly. It is probable that his clothes are not custom made, for the number of men who wear ready to put on garments increases daily.

Our garments are designed particularly to give a young man a distinguished appearance.

Come in and let us show you how to make the most of your figure, remembering that in this world "appearances count."

Montgomery & Company

Crider's Exchange Bellefonte, Pa.

PRODUCE AT STORES.

Lard	10	Butter	25
Potatoes	70	Eggs	30

GRAIN MARKET.

Rye	65	Wheat	90
Barley	50	Oats	35
		Corn	65

"WANTED" AND "FOR SALE" ADVS.

SMALL STOVE FOR SALE.—A small room stove, in good condition, is offered for sale cheap. Apply at this office.

TELEPHONE OPERATOR WANTED—A lady operator in the Bell Telephone Company's exchange at Centre Hall is wanted. For further particulars apply to EDNA H. MURRAY, Chief Operator, Centre Hall. o.46

FOR SALE—At a bargain, one 4 horse power Foos gasoline engine, one Scientific No. 20 feed mill, one wood saw with steel frame, used for demonstration only. Call or write to J. W. AND H. H. BRICKER. Boalsburg. 44tf.

AUCTIONEER.

L. F. ROAN, GENERAL AUCTIONEER. FARM and stock sales a specialty. Terms very reasonable. Address L. F. Roan, Lemont, Pa.

AUCTIONEER—The undersigned offers his services to those having personal property and real estate to sell at public sale. The record made during the past few years is a guarantee of efficiency. Dates taken during the whole of the year. Rates reasonable. L. FRANK MAYES, Lemont, Pa.

ORPHANS' COURT SALE—

By virtue of an order issued by the Orphans' Court of Centre county, the undersigned will expose to public sale on the premises near Lemont, in College township,

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 2, 1911
at 1:30 p. M.,

a fine farm containing about 135 acres of land, of which about ninety-five acres are cleared, late the property of Daniel Kimport, deceased, and known as the Mary K. Whitehill farm.

New frame dwelling house and tenement house, and large bank barn with all necessary out-buildings; well, and fine spring of never failing water near buildings; running water at house and barn; three orchards, two apple and one pear; oak, hickory and yellow pine timber; church, school and railroad within one half mile.

CHARLES W. WHITEHILL,
HARRY KELLER, Attorney. Trustee.

He Knew Jim.

Jim had made an unsuccessful attempt to conquer the world and came back to the Tennessee town dirty, worn out and hungry.

"Uncle John," he said melodramatically, "I came home to die."

"No, dod gast you," said unsympathetic Uncle Jim, "you came home to eat!"—Success Magazine.

It Surely Will.

"And you like chicken, Sam?"

"Gee! I certainly does, boss."

"And you get 'em once in awhile?"

"Oh, sure, boss, I gets 'em."

"How do you get 'em, Sam?"

"Well, boss, you know dat ol' sayin', 'Love will find the way.'"—Yonkers Statesman.

Quick Time.

Ada—Men are slow! It took him nearly two hours to propose to me last night. Floss—And how long did it take you to accept him, dear? Ada—Just two seconds.

DWELLING HOUSE FOR SALE—The undersigned offers for sale the dwelling house adjoining the Penns Valley Banking Company property, on Church street, the property known as Spicher home. The house is in good repair, large and commodious, and well located. For further particulars apply to

W. B. MINGLE.
un.22.tf. Centre Hall, Pa.

SHOES
for Fall and Winter wear

We are well stocked with a complete line of shoes to meet the requirements for Fall and Winter wear.

For the working man we have a strong shoe that is made for hard wear, and for the particular dresser we have the shoe of correct shape and style.

We fell sure that we can satisfy the ladies' shoe tastes also.

Before buying your shoes first see ours.

Kreamer & Son. Centre Hall

LADIES'
"FITZ-EZY"
SHOES
will cure corns!

SOLD ONLY AT
YEAGER'S SHOE STORE
BELLEFONTE

Unofficial Vote, Cast in Centre County, Tuesday, Nov. 7, 1911

DISTRICTS	Sheriff		Proth'n otary		Treasurer			Regist'r		Record-er		Commissioners						District Att'y	
	Geo. H. Yarnell, ... R	A. B. Lee ..... D	H. H. Diehl..... R	D. R. Foreman..... D	Josiah Pritchard ... R	John D. Miller..... D	R. T. Comly I	E. J. Williams..... R	J. F. Smith..... D	W. H. Brown ..... R	W. Francis Speer...D	Jacob Woodring ... R	H. E. Zimmerman, R	D. A. Grove..... D	Wm. H. Noll..... D	James C. Furst ..... R	D. Paul Fortney...D		
Bellefonte, N W	250	134	188	186	198	168		232	147	241	138	226	211	148	161	240	139		
Bellefonte, S W	190	161	154	202	132	214	11	172	184	191	169	173	165	172	185	136	218		
Bellefonte, W W	82	69	69	82	68	71	8	72	75	80	71	65	73	78	77	79	69		
Centre Hall	32	100	14	120	33	100	2	12	122	42	93	28	25	106	111	47	86		
Howard	114	46	104	55	77	78	3	109	50	106	54	91	95	62	68	92	62		
Milesburg	79	26	73	31	71	30	4	76	29	70	33	70	71	30	35	76	27		
Millheim	41	110	31	101	42	106	2	22	111	35	98	22	23	103	108	26	106		
Philipsburg, 1st W	88	62	76	73	112	35	4	94	54	100	49	96	88	57	57	86	56		
Philipsburg, 2nd W	146	87	126	87	192	47	4	146	83	138	92	149	126	88	87	134	98		
Philipsburg, 3rd W	126	69	93	99	148	44	8	125	65	123	69	125	111	66	75	109	81		
South Philipsburg	42	33	35	33	52	17	4	57	18	50	18	40	52	19	15	52	19		
State College	127	149	138	129	128	134	13	146	124	142	129	130	128	144	131	143	128		
Snow Shoe	80	65	24	69	71	54	15	80	61	98	44	76	75	69	73	56	90		
Unionville	36	36	44	27	17	36	28	49	20	50	21	37	33	32	38	48	22		
Benner, N	55	56	44	60	43	55	6	47	56	47	58	39	39	73	60	40	67		
Benner, S	46	54	38	61	35	58	3	43	55	39	63	26	27	67	71	40	58		
Boggs, N	27	24	25	25	17	31	1	25	25	22	28	18	15	36	30	29	21		
Boggs, E	44	37	39	41	36	45	3	41	38	45	35	37	35	42	42	58	22		
Boggs, W	86	77	96	67	71	80	10	100	61	103	59	77	77	81	85	88	74		
Burnside	22	16	22	14	21	15	3	22	14	21	17	21	17	18	17	19	19		
College	107	105	110	103	103	101	9	110	104	112	100	82	95	128	111	122	84		
Curtin, N	27	10	24	12	19	18	1	20	14	20	17	18	18	16	14	16	20		
Curtin, S	39	36	33	40	25	43	8	34	40	37	37	28	30	44	42	26	47		
Ferguson, E	60	146	64	143	61	141	4	58	148	62	145	53	56	149	143	57	147		
Ferguson, W	58	44	60	42	54	41	6	62	43	57	48	61	59	45	44	56	48		
Gregg, N	7	62	4	64	3	65	2	6	62	14	57	2	2	69	67	17	57		
Gregg, E	17	100	19	98	12	98	6	20	96	22	93	15	15	102	100	20	92		
Gregg, W	34	130	36	126	32	129	1	41	121	49	112	44	40	121	116	43	121		
Haines, E	33	79	28	81	30	79		28	83	34	76	26	28	83	80	28	80		
Haines, W	41	91	36	97	44	87		36	97	34	99	39	39	90	90	46	87		
Halfmoon	77	24	61	38	59	39	3	71	29	69	32	65	58	39	33	62	38		
Harris, E	18	48	16	49	17	47		21	45	18	47	17	18	43	47	19	46		
Harris, W	24	90	29	84	32	77	5	33	78	35	77	28	38	77	76	46	65		
Howard	83	40	69	53	55	62	4	70	52	76	47	65	59	60	55	76	46		
Huston	77	83	71	79	71	75	13	78	77	73	83	84	53	85	72	65	85		
Liberty, E	99	39	80	53	85	44	6	87	45	87	44	79	84	49	46	78	55		
Liberty, W																			
Marion	42	67	30	75	17	91	1	37	70	49	60	28	28	77	77	34	74		
Miles, E	9	54	10	52	10	50	3	11	52	16	47	9	8	55	53	11	52		
Miles, M	41	133	37	136	38	132	3	36	134	42	129	28	32	141	138	30	141		
Miles, W	14	61	12	63	12	59		15	60	14	62	9	7	65	67	13	60		
Patton	96	58	87	64	95	56	3	94	58	97	56	95	90	67	53	94	57		
Penn	21	155	21	155	19	149	7	17	157	23	152	20	19	157	155	24	152		
Potter, N	34	96	28	100	25	101	3	21	111	34	94	26	27	98	100	39	91		
Potter, S	26	88	15	99	32	91	1	21	93	26	88	20	22	93	92	28	86		
Potter, W	11	99	6	103	6	100	3	10	98	12	97	9	8	98	98	11	97		
Rush, N	69	86	70	81	106	53	7	88	66	82	70	80	71	74	72	70	79		
Rush E	20	20	19	19	25	14		20	14	21	17	23	14	19	21	16	22		
Rush, S	86	29	82	25	82	30	28	88	22	89	20	79	79	21	29	68	68		
Rush, W	57	71	55	69	67	61	3	61	65	63	65	62	55	69	59	51	75		
Snow Shoe, E	100	31	99	41	99	28	4	100	31	100	30	86	79	44	46	96	34		
Snow Shoe, W	25	34	19	38	21	34	4	25	30	25	30	25	19	33	33	18	40		
Spring, N	82	53	62	57	58	53	10	59	60	70	61	50	69	58	58	66	50		
Spring, S	123	124	95	146	84	152	8	97	143	128	116	54	97	122	198	100	142		
Spring, W	95	45	75	55	65	57	7	83	48	79	61	78	67	54	60	66	67		
Taylor	60	27	69	13	70	8	8	77	11	69	16	69	69	19	17	69	20		
Union	96	33	76	52	59	38	34	90	39	87	43	74	78	57	41	91	37		
Walker, E	62	27	46	42	36	53		45	44	46	43	38	42	48	48	45	43		
Walker, M	55	42	22	79	11	83	2	24	71	24	72	15	16	82	84	24	72		
Walker, W	65	30	25	67	20	73		25	69	32	63	18	15	74	84	25	69		
Worth	93	49	91	49	81	51	14	109	34	73	71	119	56	42	43	95	52		
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Pluralities		210		1002		812			419		220	120		1025	1058		822		

The Ticket Elected.

Arthur B. Lee, of Potter township, sheriff.

D. R. Foreman, of Bellefonte, prothonotary.

John D. Miller, of Walker township, treasurer.

J. Frank Smith, of Centre Hall, register of Wills.

W. Francis Speer, of Bellefonte, recorder of deeds.

Daniel A Grove, of College township, commissioner.

William H. Noll, of Spring township, commissioner.

D. Paul Fortney, of Bellefonte, district attorney.

Dr. P. S. Fisher, of Walker township, coroner.

Jeremiah Brungart, of Miles township, auditor.

Sinie H. Hoy, Benner township, auditor.

Vote in Centre Hall.

Below will be found the vote in Centre Hall borough. The Republican candidates come first.

COUNTY OFFICES.

Sheriff, Yarnell, 32 ; Lee, 100

Prothonotary, Diehl, 14 ; Foreman, 120

Treasurer, Pritchard, 33 ; Miller, 100 ; Comley, 2

Register, Williams, 12 ; Smith, 122

Recorder, Brown, 42 ; Speer, 93

Commissioner, Woodring, 28 : Zimmermon, 25 ; Grove, 106 ; Noll, 111

District Attorney, Furst, 47 ; Fortney, 86

Coroner, Fisher, 132

Auditor, Goss, 41 ; Gramley, 47 ; Brungart, 87 ; Hoy, 82

Surveyor, Pletcher, 39 ; Wetzel, 93

BOROUGH OFFICERS.

Judge, Henney, 42 ; Foreman, 90

Inspector, Brisbin, 42 ; Auman, 88

Constable, Runkle, 102 ; Knepley, 16

Council, R., Fetterolf, 35 ; Reish, 42 ; Smith, 57; Shirk, 52 ; D., Feidler, 71 ; Lucas. 78 ; Martz, 70 ; Smith, 71

Overseer, Durst, 31 ; Krape, 39 ; Breon, 87 ; Spangler. 83.

Auditor, Bailey, 45 ; Moore, 81

Justice, Dauberman, 118 ; Mingle, 95 ; Reesman, 7 ; Bitner, 1

School Directors, Strohmeier, 111 ; Bitner 120 ; Puff, 112 ; Dauberman, 119 ; Rearick, 111

High Constable, Stump, 42 ; Geary, 78

Women Beat in Bellefonte.

There was a hotly contested election for school directors in Bellefonte. The ladies won out. The vote is as follows :

2 Y. Mary E. Brouse, R. and D.,....639, maj. 250
Carolina H. Gilmore, R.....409, maj. 20
Lewis H. Gettig, D.....389

4 Y. C. D. Cook, R.....436, maj. 20
Henry Lowry, R.....416
A. C. Mingle, D.....459, maj. 43
J. K. Barnhart, D.....357

6 Y. Dr. D M. Locke, R.....483, maj. 99
D. F. Fortney, D.....384

Potter Twp. School Vote.

The vote for school directors in Potter township is as follow :

For 2 years, R., McKinney, 72 ; Sharer, 83. D., Bower, 243 ; Royer, 237.

For 4 years, R., Burkholder, 82 ; Walker, 61. D., Heckman, 255 ; Jordan, 242.

For 6 years, R , Brooks, 143. D., Ripka, 195.

Vote for County Auditors

W. H. Goss, R..... 3717
Clement Gramley, R..... 3596
Jeremiah Brungart, D..... 3873
S. H. Hoy, D 3812

From the best information obtainable all the Democratic candidates for local offices in the several townships and boroughs on the south side of Centre county have been elected. There was some cutting among Democrats in Centre Hall on councilmen, in Potter township and Gregg township on school directors, but the Reporter is assured that there were no defeats. No further returns on local ticket can be given in this issue.

Back to Its Own.

The Democratic party in Centre county is back to its own and on Tuesday gave place to Democrats in the several offices of the county.

The general belief among taxpayers that it would be unsafe to continue the present board of county commissioners on account of their lax business methods had some influence in bringing about a Democratic victory, but the main reason must be attributed to the fact that for once the Democratic voters went to the election and performed their duty. Most of the Republicans who held office in Centre county during the past years, did so because many Democrats did not see fit, for some reason or other, to go to the polls, but the campaign this fall devoted to local affairs only, aroused the voters to the fact that Republican rule in the county was detrimental to their interests, and knowing the economy practiced in years gone by by Democratic commissioners and other county officers, desired a return to such conditions, and acted accordingly.

During the campaign much stress was laid on the flawless character of the Democratic nominees, and the special fitness for the particular office sought by each of the candidates. This truth took hold and was also a factor in bringing about the success of the ticket that won.

One thing is certain, the victory is everybody's victory. The people at large will resp the benefit of having thorough business men to direct the affairs of the county.

What did it? That splendid vote from the Democratic strong holds on the south side of Centre county.

Locating the Pen.

Warden Francies and the commission appointed to select a site for a new penitentiary arrived in Bellefonte yesterday afternoon, and from there came to Penns Valley to view the site at Centre Hall and Boalsburg. Today (Thursday) they will look over the Bellefonte site. Further than the fact that they were here no information can be given.

Not content with traveling over the mountains in the vicinity of Centre Hall, Hon Leonard Rhone, accompanied by his daughter, Miss Florence, Mrs. D. W. Bradford and Miss Grace Smith, Wednesday of last week started on a trip through the Brush Valley and Penns Valley narrows, returning Friday. The party drove by way of Rebersburg and Livonia through the Brush Valley narrows, stopping at the Sandy Ridge Gun and Club house, and two other less pretentious club houses, the Forest Hotel at the eastern extremity of the narrows, and from there they went to Mifflinburg, and then to Glen Iron, where they were guests for the night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William A. Odenkirk. The following day Penns Valley narrows were explored, arriving at Woodward by noon, where entertainment was given by Mrs. Adam Weaver and Merchant Orndorf, and the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Sankey, near Millheim, was their lodging place Thursday night. The roads through the Brush Valley narrows were found quite level and in good condition, iron bridges spanning the streams. Much of the route through the mountains traversed state lanes, all of which is cared for by foresters.

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Harris Township.

Our township was well represented at the Lytle sale on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Brooks, of Pine Stump, spent Sunday at Boalsburg.

Miss Margaret Lytle and Mrs. E. A. Fisher are visiting for a few weeks at State College.

Services will be held in the Reformed church Sunday evening at 7:16 o'clock.

C. D. Moore sold his farm at the foot of the Tussey mountain to Theodore Boal.

Edwin Rupp, of Altoona, was here for a few days last week hunting.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Curtis Meyer and little daughter Evelyn, of the Branch, spent Saturday evening at Boalsburg.

Mrs. Samuel McClintock, of Walnut Grove, spent last Thursday at the home of her brother John Hook.

David Stuart, of Bellevue, arrived at Boalsburg on Saturday. During his stay here part of the time will be devoted to hunting.

Miss William Odenkirk and daughter Dorothy Meyer, of Glen Iron, spent Tuesday and Wednesday at Boalsburg.

Henry Meyer, of Bowling Green, Virginia, visited for a week with relatives in Boalsburg and other parts of Centre county.

A turnip weighing eight pounds and three ounces is on exhibition at the Stuart store. It was brought there by B. D. Thomas, a farmer on the branch.

Something happened on Tuesday that is a sure sign that winter will soon be here. Wieland and Gingerich got a car load of sleighs, all sizes, shapes, and colors, nice enough to please the most fastidious.

Henry Reitz, another of our progressive farmers has stored away five hundred bushels of turnips. L. Mothersbaugh has one hundred bushels in the barn cellar. The latter had a new way of gathering them in, instead of pulling them up he raised them with a grubbing hoe. Questions—Were they a new variety or were they too large that they could not be pulled? Or perhaps the seed was sown when the sign was down.

Five and one-half pounds of potatoes from a single hill is the record for potato growing made by Miss Anna Weber, of Boalsburg. At spring time, like most women will do, Miss Weber cleaned out the potato bin and dumped the soil on the garden. Hidden in the sweepings must have been a small potato, for although that portion of the garden was planted to beans, a single potato sprout also appeared. The beans and the potato vine were regularly hoed, and by the time frost came the potato stalk grew to monstrous proportions, and when the hill was dug up fifteen potatoes were found—nine large and perfectly shaped ones, two of ordinary size, and four small ones, the combined weight of which was five and one half pounds. That is a remarkable yield, and shows what may become of a "small potato" when cared for by a woman.

Linden Hall.

James I. Ross lost one of his horses on Monday.

Mrs. Sara Stine, of Annville, is visiting her mother Mrs. Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Zong entertained a number of their friends on Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert McClellan and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Tressler spent Sunday with friends near Bellefonte.

The service held by the mission band in the United Evangelical church was well attended.

Mr. and Mrs. William Bressler and family and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Miller spent Sunday at the home of Arthur Cumings.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry McClellan entertained a number of the young people on Hallowe'en. The same evening a crowd of young people from here and Boalsburg were entertained at the home of Henry Reitz.

Mr. and Mrs. George Meyer came up from Milton on Saturday to spend some time with his mother and get his share of the game during the hunting season.

Mrs. Mary Kyle and daughter Miss Rhoda and Misses Mary McNeal and Helen Scott drove from Reedsville on Friday and were guests of Mrs. F. E. Wieland. On Saturday they attended the foot ball game at State.

Mrs J. W. Keller and son Harry and Miss Irene Ross spent Sunday at the home of J. H. Miller at the Glades. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Williams, of near Pine Grove.

The lecture by Dr. Gabriel Maguire, on "With an Irishman through the Jungles of Africa," on Tuesday night, was largely attended by an enthusiastic audience. The lecture both entertained and instructed. His imitations of the Africans up the Congo were undoubtedly very real. The next number will be the Commonwealth Quartette, Saturday evening, December 2nd.

Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets do not sicken or gripe, and may be taken with perfect safety by the most delicate woman or the youngest child. The old and feeble will also find them a most suitable remedy for aiding and strengthening their weakened digestion and for regulating the bowels. For sale by all dealers.

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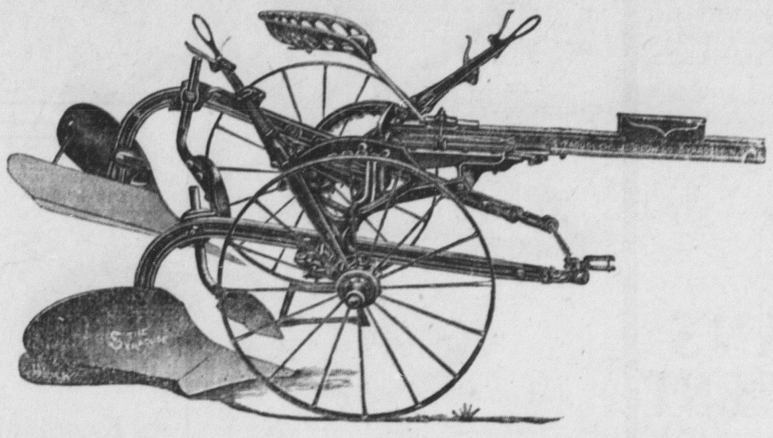

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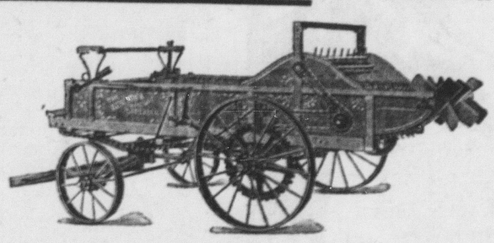

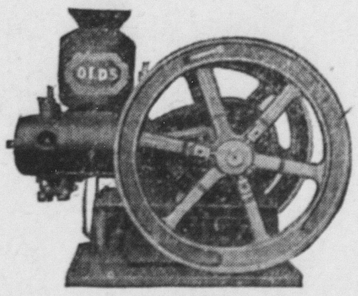

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Sale Register.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 23, at nine o'clock, one mile east of Tusseyville, on the Fleisher farm, by MRS. ANNIE L. KLINEFELTER : Five mares, three of which were bred last spring; suckling colt ; seven milch cows, five heifers, two years old ; five calves old from spring, short horn bull weighing twelve hundred pounds, one yearling short horn bull ; two brood sows, four fat hogs. Also a full line of farming implements, tools, etc., and a large number of other articles. See posters.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER, 28, at 12 o'clock, three and one-half miles east of Old Fort, on the Ross farm, at Farmers Mills, by H. I. FOUST.—Four work horses, two of which are brood mares in foal, nine milch cows, some of which will be fresh by time of sale ; eleven head of young cattle, one bull, six head of sheep, three brood sows, and a full line of farm implements and tools. L. F. Mayes, auctioneer.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 6, ten o'clock, one mile west of Potters Mills, by GEORGE W. JORDAN : seven head of horses, mated team of blacks four and five years old especially fine ; eight milch cows, twelve head of young cattle, brood sow, sow with pigs by her side. Also a full line of farm implements and machinery and tools.

MARCH 6—Farm stock and implements. A. W. Zettle, two miles west of Spring Mills.

MARCH 23—James C. Goodhart, Centre Hill, stock sale.

SMALL FARM FOR SALE—The undersigned offers for sale a small farm, containing twenty-three acres, with a good house, barn and poultry house, and other outbuildings ; good well of water, making the place a very desirable one for a home. The property is located at "Red Bridge," along the Lewistown pike, between Centre Hall and Potters Mills. Reason for selling is on account of the advanced age of the owner. For further particulars, call at the premises or write to

BENJAMIN STOVER,
43.tf. Spring Mills, Pa., R. D.

DIVORCE NOTICE—

In the Court of Common Pleas of Centre County, Pennsylvania : Jessie C. McClenahan versus Emma McClenahan, No. 9, December term, 1908.

TO EMMA McCLENAHAN :—

Take notice that the undersigned has been appointed a commissioner to take the testimony in the above stated case ; that witnesses will be produced, sworn and examined before the said commissioner at his office in the borough of Bellefonte, county of Centre and State of Pennsylvania, on Saturday, the eighteenth day of November, A. D., 1911, at ten o'clock A. M., at which time and place you are hereby notified to appear, if you think proper.

W. HARRISON WALKER,
0.45 Commissioner.

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FARM FOR SALE—The undersigned offers at private sale their farm, three-fourths mile north of Tusseyville, containing fifty-six acres, forty-nine of which are clear and under cultivation, the remainder is timbered. A good dwelling house, and out building are on the premises ; also good cisterns, and plenty of fruit of all kinds. The property is for sale until September 1st, after which offer to sell is withdrawn.

The reason for selling is on account of the advanced age of the owners. For further particulars apply to the undersigned.

J. S. SHOWERS,
MRS. J. S. SHOWERS,
Youngdale, Pa.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE—The undersigned will offer for sale the following real estate, being the property of John Rote, of Gregg township, deceased, on the premises, one-fourth mile east of Penns Cave, on

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 25, 1911
at one o'clock p. m.

Thirteen acres and one hundred and ten perches, thereon erected a good house, barn and other outbuildings. Also a well of water, and good fruit on the place. The soil is nearly all tillable and in good condition. The place will be sold on reasonable terms.

For further information apply to Andrew F. Rote, Mrs. John Rachau, Mrs. Emma Vonada, Spring Mills ; Mrs. Lewis Stover, Coburn, or

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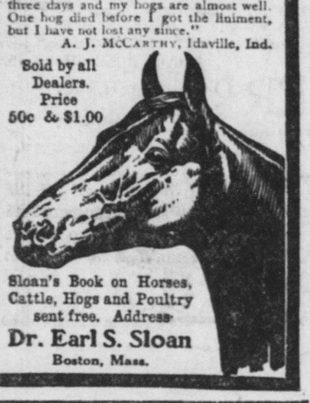

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Farmer H.—Well, not too durned p'tickler.—Boston Transcript.

If They All Knew.

A woman speaker told a New York suffrage meeting that "we women haven't concentration. Our minds just go flirting around and don't get anywhere." Considering which, is it not superfluous for mere man to muss about in women's affairs when they know themselves so well?—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Appetite Not a Necessity.

Dr. John R. Murlin of New York, assistant professor of physiology at the Cornell universsity medical college, in an article in the October number of the Journal of the Outdoor Life, compares the food we eat to the fuel used in furnishing steam and power for an engine. In selecting our food he says that we should eat enough to furnish energy for the day's work, but that much more than this is not needed. He holds that the appetite is not a necessity for good digestion. "There is no fallacy of nutrition," he says, "greater than that which supposes that a food cannot be digested and utilized without appetite." Most of the food we eat, fully four-fifths, goes to supply energy for our every-day tasks, while less than one-fifth goes to supply building material.

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An Ohio woman says Grape-Nuts food gave her good red blood and restored the roses of youth to a complexion that had been muddy and blotchy. She says:

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"I got disgusted with the drugs, stopped them and coffee off short, and quit eating everything but fruit and Grape-Nuts, with Postum for my table beverage.

"The headaches, stomach trouble, and nervous weakness disappeared almost like magic, which showed that when the cause was removed and good food and drink used nature was ready to help.

"My blood was purified and my complexion became like a young girl's, while my weight was increased from 90 to 120 pounds in a few months—good, solid firm flesh, where it used to be soft and flabby.

"I recommended Grape-Nuts and Postum to one of my friends, who was afflicted as I had been. She followed my advice and in a short time was restored to complete health and in about 8 months her weight increased from 100 to 148 pounds.

"Our doctor, observing the effect of Grape-Nuts and Postum in our cases, declared, the other day, that he would hereafter prescribe these food products for gastritis." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

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ALL OVER THE STATE

TOLD IN SHORT ORDER

Mountville.—The estate of Andrew L. Lane has sold to Elmer Lane, a farm in Manheim township, containing 128 acres and 107 perches, for $147.30 an acre.

Allentown.—Rev. Robert H. Kline, rector of Grace Episcopal Church, was chosen foreman of the Lehigh County Grand Jury. There are several clergymen on the petit jury.

Reading.—Stricken with apoplexy while on a trolley car on his way to work, Cyrus W. High, of Shoemakersville, died before medical aid could be summoned.

South Bethlehem.—Miss Florence Vogel, of Allentown, committed suicide by drowning in the Lehigh River here. The act is said to have followed a quarrel with a young man of this place.

York.—Henry Wagner, of North Hopewell, reports a yield of four hundred bushels of unshelled corn raised on two acres of ground. Some of the corn is 17½ inches in length and 5½ inches in diameter.

Bradford.—Because her mother refused to allow her to celebrate Hallowe'en with a party of boys and girls here, Mary Hays, aged 15, ran to her room and shot herself through the head. She lived only a few minutes.

West Chester.—While clambering over a fence with a loaded gun William Harrison, of Glen Moore, was killed by the discharge of the gun, the top of his head being blown off.

York.—A. B. Farquhar has given to the Park Commissioners an additional plot of ground of five acres, valued at $10,0000. The ground is adjacent to Farquhar Park and will be utilized for an artificial lake.

Pine Grove.—The sight of harvesting hay, the second crop in November, is to be observed in Wayne township, where several farmers who through lack of help and wet weather were unable to harvest it at the right time.

South Bethlehem.—John L. Koch, a prominent Hellertown merchant and a Civil War veteran, died in fifteen minutes at his home when he swallowed a dose of carbolic acid in mistake for medicine. He was seventy years old.

Bethlehem.—While Annie Holben, the thirteen-year-old daughter of James Holben, was driving a colt from pasture to the barn, she got too near the animal, which gave her a violent kick on the jaw, fracturing it in two places.

Chester.—Hugh Martin, fourteen years old, an orphan, of this city, was struck by an automobile driven and owned by James F. Dougherty, of Leiperville, here. The lad, who was seriously injured, was removed to the Chester Hospital.

Allentown.—G. Tilghman Reichard, aged eighty-two, died from injuries received in a fall from an apple tree while he was picking fruit, several days ago. For fifty-eight years he was bass soloist of St. Peter's Church choir at Rittersville.

Reading.—Investigation is being made by Coroner Wagner into the circumstances attending the death of Edward Summers, aged sixty-nine years, who was found lifeless in bed at his home. Mr. Summers was fully dressed and lay across the bed.

Coplay.—Frank Kollar, aged thirty, an oiler at the Coplay Cement Mill, was caught in a shaf. He was whirled around several hundred times a minute by the swiftly moving machinery and by the time the engine could be stopped he was dead.

Macungie.—An old Indian tradition indicates that the coming winter will be a severe one and that there will be sufficient snow to cover up the wild flowers, known as Indian posies. They are already higher than they have grown in years.

Pittsburgh.—Henry J. Ruslam, a clerk, has petitioned court to change his name, because people call him "Ruzzielamb." He says the embarrassment on the street caused his girl to turn him down, and he also had to quit his job.

Lewisburg.—The plant of the Lewisburg Chair Company was destroyed by fire, causing a loss of $100,000. An automatic extinguisher had the fire practically under control when the fire department attached a hose to the same main, which proved insufficient to support both.

Slatington.—Just before a heavy blast was set off at the Washington Slate Company's quarry at this place, eight men rushed to a nearby shed for shelter. While they were in the shed, a hugh boulder crashed through the roof of the building and almost instantly killed Steve Bolga, and seriously injured his seven companions.

Huntingdon.—Joseph Morland, a well-known acrobat of this place, while hunting wild turkeys was shot by a fellow-hunter, who mistook him for a turkey. Morland was using an artificial call to lure a turkey to him, which resulted in his receiving a load of large shot in the thigh.

Williamsport.—The first day of the hunting season in Lycoming county was productive of a fatal accident. While George Warner, of Mill Creek township, and his hired man, John Hall, were hunting rabbits, the latter accidentally shot Warner, blowing his face away and killing him instantly.

ONE OF PENNSYLVANIA'S STAR PLAYERS

Thayer, a Shifty Member of the Quaker Team.

GOPHER PLAYER IS MISSED

Len Erdahl, Who Won His "M" on Minnesota Team Last Year, Takes Off Uniform and Quits.

Len Erdahl, who made his "M" last year, playing the position of full back in the Minnesota university football squad line-up, and who appeared in the game against Ames as quarter back, has taken off his uniform. He announced that he had "quit."

Parental objection be advanced as the cause, although it is understood

Len Erdahl.

Erdahl might have overcome whatever difficulty he has necountered from this direction if Coach Williams had lent a more willing ear to the student's request for favored position in the line-up.

FOUR ENGLISH BOXERS COME

Will Ames, London Manager, Brings Over Quartet of Fighters for American Invaison.

An invasion of the United States by four English boxers is to be made by Will Ames, a London manager, who has brought over Sid Smith, a clever bantam; Sid Burns, a flashy welter; Billy Marchant, said to be another Jem Driscoll in the featherweight ranks, and George Randall, a lightweight who is said to be not far behind Freddie Welsh and Wells in cleveress.

Smith seeks matches with Frankie Burns, Johnny Daly and Johnny Coulon. Marchant wants to meet Abe Attell.

The four Englishmen will have matches in New York, Boston, Philadelphia and New Orleans, boxing all comers.

Big Squad for Yale Crews.

A total of 21 candidates responded to the call for crew candidates at Yale university, and Princeton, too, has more men anxious for seats in the shells than ever before, so that the outlook for rowing is promising.

GOSSIP OF SPORTDOM

Toes are more important now in football than weight.

Ruffner, the Purdue player, "wasn't any rougher'n lots of others."

Illinois has a great deal of respect for "Chicago luck" in football.

In football nowadays the chiropodist takes the place of the trainer.

In a world's championship series heavy batting is better than good luck.

Pennsylvania's improved football team has caused Yost to sit up and take notice.

In the international football game, Tripoli bears a striking resemblance to the football.

Nothing but poor playing by the home team ever interferes with the baseball business.

Lucky Frank Schulte is married. His wife can teach him how to drive that new automobile.

Has any one noticed the golfers bringing their clubs home? Another sign of an early winter.

To hear track men talk, one would think the Olympic games were nearly as important as the city championships.

Orvie Overall is now a member of the heaviest battery in the country. Orvie weighs 230 pounds himself and his catcher, Tub Hackett of the Stockton (Cal.) Independents, pushes the scales up to 228.

TENNIS CHANGES IN ENGLAND

Lawns Gradually Being Replaced by Hard Surface Courts in Vogue Elsewhere—Experience Wins.

"Go it, baldhead!" was a cry frequently heard at the recent lawn tennis tournament at Wimbledon, and a spectator could not help observing that gray hairs and bald heads outnumbered the locks of youth among the players after the first day or two. Yet lawn tennis is an athletic game, perhaps the most active of all summer pastimes, demanding unusual powers of endurance, and one looks for endurance and agility in the young.

Finding that the daring and physical strength of youth are beaten by the experience of age, the conclusion to be drawn is that the new generation is not learning the essentials of the game. The group of veterans who beat the youngsters this year cannot be expected to do these wonders again. Young men from other countries will come again and they will win because there will be no opposition to prevent them from doing so. And why? Because, some critics say, the continent has learned the game from professionals and has learned it upon hard courts.

There is a freedom and power in the foreign style which is absent from the English game, in which few risks are taken. In all probability this springs from the fact that the typical courts of the continent are not grass, but have a hard, smooth surface from which every ball makes a true bound. Scarcely one grass court in ten can be relied upon for a true bound of the ball. On such inferior surfaces style becomes cramped. First-class players are not to be trained upon third rate courts.

The best promise for English lawn tennis is the fact that the clubs are losing their faith in grass. In 20 years' time the very name of lawn tennis may appear strange to our ears, the number of actual lawns devoted to the game will have become so small. Already hard courts are being constructed in every direction. In a few years they will probably give England a new school of tennis players who will meet on equal terms the best products of the continental and American clubs.

MAR FOOTBALL GAMES

Right to Question Decisions Belongs to Captain.

Nothing Is More Repulsive to Spectators Than Constant Squabbles Between Competitors and Officials During Contest.

In football as well as in every branch of sport, nothing is more repulsive to spectators than constant squabbles between competitors and officials.

To question the decision of judges at a horserace, or a footrace, automobile, or trotting race simple is a waste of time, and these decisions cannot be reversed unless there is a wrong interpretation of rules which govern such contests.

If coaches would enforce a rule that only captains of elevens could question or ask an interpretation of an official's decision football certainly would be placed on a higher plane and one of the most distasteful features of the game so far as the spectators are concerned would be obliterated, writes Walter Eckersall in the Chicago Tribune. Football officials are selected because of their known impartiality, their thorough knowledge of the rules, and their sense of honor.

The men, all college graduates, officiating in gridiron contests this year have been put to many severe tests, and in few instances have they erred. Speciators never should condemn an official for levying a penalty, for the arbiters of the game are in better position and understand more thoroughly the exact interpretations of the rules. Use of hands in the interference, coaching from the side lines, holding in the line, offside play, and a number of other infringements of the rules are points which the average spectator does not see, but when an official inflicts penalties for such breaches of the rules he generally meets with criticism from the stands.

Those who have played football and have been in many hard fought contests have had fouls called when they did not believe they were guilty of any infringement. In such cases, these players have been so carried away with the excitement of the contests as to be unconscious of any breaches in the rules they made, but when apprised of the conditions by officials they have admitted their guilt.

In the large universities, where it is part of the preparation of an eleven to teach the players the rules and their possibilities, the players seldom question an official's decision. The members of these teams are so well versed in the rules as to know when an arbiter's decision is right or wrong and for this reason few disputes arise.

If the colleges in the eastern, western, and Missouri valley conferences would follow the precedent established at West Point, one of the most distasteful features of football would be done away with. Discipline reigns supreme at the army institution. The captain of a football team controls his men the same as a colonel of a regiment or captain of a company. If any member of a West Point football eleven questions the orders of the captain he must report to higher officials as soon as the same is completed if the captain files charges.

CAPTAIN ROBERTS,

Shifty Half-Back on Illinois Team.

First Serious Football Injury.

The first serious football injury of the season in the east has put John Thompson, of St. Joseph college, in a hospital at Philadelphia for several weeks with a fractured leg. He was playing on the scrub team against a regular team when one of the players whom he tackled fell upon him.

Jack Tighe Goes to Louisville.

It has been announced that John Tighe would succeed "Del" Howard as manager of the Louisville American association baseball team. Tighe was for several years manager of the Rock Island team in the Three I league, and later managed the Seattle club of the Northwest league.

Three Players Hurt.

In Knox college-Peoria Bradley Polytechnic football game at Galesburg, Ill., Captain Montgomery of Bradley broke his right hip, Scherer of Bradley broke two ribs, and Montgomery, also of Bradley, dislocated his shoulder.

SHE SUFFERED FIVE YEARS

Finally Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Erie, Pa.—"I suffered for five years from female troubles and at last was almost helpless. I went to three doctors and they did me no good, so my sister advised me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and when I had taken only two bottles I could see a big change, so I took six bottles and I am now strong and well again. I don't know how to express my thanks for the good it has done me and I hope all suffering women will give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial. It was worth its weight in gold."—Mrs. J. P. ENDLICH, R. F. D. No. 7, Erie, Pa.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from native roots and herbs, contains no narcotic or harmful drugs, and to-day holds the record for the largest number of actual cures of female diseases we know of, and thousands of voluntary testimonials are on file in the Pinkham laboratory at Lynn, Mass., from women who have been cured from almost every form of female complaints, such as inflammation, ulceration, displacements, fibroid tumors, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, indigestion and nervous prostration. Every suffering woman owes it to herself to give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial.

If you want special advice write Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass., for it. It is free and always helpful.

Relationship.

Facetious Conductor—Young woman, is this your sister?

Prim Little Miss (with large doll)—No, sir; she's my adopted daughter.

A SERIOUS ERROR

Many a case of kidney disease has proven fatal because the symptoms were not recognized. If you suffer with backache or bladder irregularities follow the advice of Mrs. Peter Bisele, 528 Church street, Bowling Green, Ky. Says Mrs. Bisele: "My back ached terribly and I had such dizzy spells I dared not walk; ankles were badly swollen and kidney secretions in awful condition. I was helpless in bed for three years, lost flesh until a mere skeleton and despaired of being cured. Doan's Kidney Pills cured me, however, and my neighbors marvel at it."

"When Your Back Is Lame, Remember the Name—DOAN'S." 50c. a box at all stores. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

Only a few people can follow the lines of least resistance and obey the alarm clock at the same time.

Plausible.

Sunday School Teacher—Why was the fiery furnace seven times heated?

Tommy—I suppose it went out between times.

Right Place.

"Henry may be a bad student, but at least he is consistent."

"In what way?"

"I caught him swearing over his profane history."

Test of Real Greatness.

Columbus had made the egg stand on end.

"But could you unscramble it?" demanded the mortified courtiers.

Which merely accentuates the great truth that nobody is springing any new puzzles nowadays.

A town that pays the preacher and supports the editor is mighty close to heaven.—Atlanta Constitution.

Curative Treatment.

In his reading lesson Bobby had come to the word "punishment," and it was too long and hard for him. After puzzling a while, he asked the teacher what the word was.

"You ought not to let that puzzle you, Bobby," she answered. "What does your mother give you when you have been an unusually naughty boy?"

"Castor oil!" he exclaimed, sure that he had guessed it.—Youth's Companion.

COLDS

Cured in One Day

As a rule, a few doses of Munyon's Cold Remedy will break up any cold and prevent pneumonia. It relieves the head, throat and lungs almost instantly. Price 25 cents at any druggist's, or sent postpaid.

If you need Medical advice write to Munyon's Doctors. They will carefully diagnose your case and give you advice by mail, absolutely free.

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If afflicted with sore eyes, use **Thompson's Eye Water**

Cement Talk No. 11

There are countless uses for *Universal Portland Cement* about the place. For the cellar, *concrete* is water-proof, rat-proof and everlasting. *Concrete* is the best material for sidewalks, steps, foundations, well curbs, posts, troughs, water tanks, barn floors and cisterns. It will pay you to build of *concrete*. It lasts forever. It is fireproof, sanitary and cheap in the long run. Use *UNIVERSAL Portland Cement*—it makes the best *concrete*.

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"Captain, is there much danger?"

"Not a particle. A moving-picture outfit will soon be along and rescue us after they have taken a few films."

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Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for Infants and children, and see that it

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In Use For Over 30 Years.

Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

Scared Out.

The guildes had a pretty story to tell as often as they were asked why the cliffs gave back no sound.

A beautiful Echo (so the story ran) formerly dwelt in the valley, and had great fun mocking people who, chancing that way, in any manner broke the sylvan silence.

But once upon a time a party of smart women, prompted by the guides knew not what caprice, sat down in the immediate neighborhood to enjoy a game of progressive whist.

"Gee, I give it up!" cried the Echo thereupon, and in consternation fled the place, nevermore to return.—Puck.

Summoned as Witnesses.

Whenever Rev. Solon Jefferson called on Aunt Candace it was her custom to set a plate of gingerbread before him and then ply him with what she called "'ligious 'spoundin's."

"Wha' fo' does de Lawd send epidemics into de land?" she asked him one day.

"When folks get so bad dey must be removed, some of 'em, Sist' Candace, den de Lawd permits de coming ob an epidemic," said Mr. Jefferson, and took a large bite of gingerbread.

"Uh-h!" said Aunt Candace. "Ef dat's so, how come de good people gets removed along wid de bad ones?"

"De good ones are summoned fo' witnesses," said Rev. Solon, fortified in spirit and clarified in mind by the gingerbread, although slightly embarrassed in his utterance. "De Lawd gibs every man a fair trial."—Youth's Companion.

To Be Pleasant In the Morning

Have some

Post Toasties

with cream for breakfast.

The rest of the day will take care of itself.

Post Toasties are thin bits of White Indian Corn—cooked and toasted until deliciously crisp and appetizing.

"The Memory Lingers"

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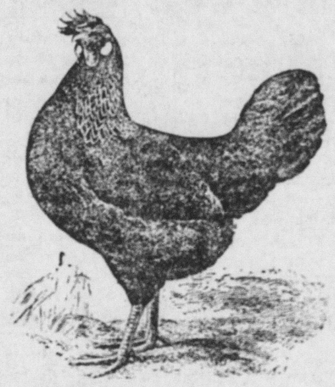
POULTRY

MAKING PROFIT IN LEGHORNS

Egg Productiveness More Than Offsets Any Advantage Other Breeds Have in Flesh.

Twenty-five years ago I began breeding the Leghorn and have kept this breed ever since, although I have tried many other kinds side by side. One of the most serious objections I find to the large brown egg breeds is the disposition to sit. When one has 400 or 500 hens of American or Asiatic breeds



Single-Comb Brown Leghorn.

and finds 20 to 50 sitting at a time, and then in the Leghorn houses cannot find more than three or four, it does not take long to get disgusted, says a writer in the Agriculturist. American breeds do not mature as quickly, and one must set eggs which sell in the market at 40 to 50 cents in order to get early pullets by laying time in October.

People say that a Plymouth Rock fowl makes a good roast, but if eggs of Leghorn breeds and those of the Plymouth Rock varieties are set the same day, the Leghorn fowls will lay when the eggs are high, so that a dozen will pay for more than enough to offset an advance in what the carcass would bring.

Again, the Leghorns are longer lived as a paying investment, for even at four or five years of age they will be profitable as egg producers, while a Plymouth Rock will become too fat after the second molt to be profitable as a layer. The Leghorn eggs are very even in color, large and white; in fact, the largest. I have fowls whose eggs weigh two pounds to the dozen; ordinary brown eggs will weigh from a pound and six ounces to a pound and eight ounces; not only this, but Leghorn eggs can be produced for less money. My experience is that six cents for white and ten cents or more for brown eggs is about the usual run.

HOME-MADE POULTRY FEEDER

Automatic Device Eliminates All Waste and Compels Birds to Scratch for Their Rations.

My hens wake up very early in the morning. Of course it doesn't do them any good to stand around hungry at daybreak, but getting out to feed them is a strenuous task. For a time I tried scattering the scratch feed in the litter after dark, but pretty soon I found that I was supporting about all the rats in the neighborhood. Finally, after faltering for a time betwixt duty and pleasure, I devised an automatic feeder which solves that particular problem, and at the same time several more, writes C. M. Gallup in the Successful Farming. It eliminates all waste; it compels the birds to take exercise in getting their ration; it is ready for business twenty-four hours of the day.

The bottom is cut from galvanized iron in circular form fifteen inches in diameter. Without changing the dividers I then mark the radius on the circumference, and allowing about three-eighths of an inch for the lap,

(A) Pattern for Bottom.
(B) Bottom Completed. (C) Feeder Completed.

I cut one-sixth of the circle in the shape of a sector. The bottom is then shaped into a cone and the lap is riveted. The side is a simple cylinder of cellar-window screen cut to fit the bottom, and wired through little holes that are punched together in pairs. To support the device fit a piece of board diametrically across the top, and staple the wire to the ends. For ordinary scratch feed for fowls I use screen with three mesh per inch, but for baby chicks six mesh. I make the feeder for chicks of the same proportion as the feeder for fowls; but it is built to hold only about a quart.

DO YOU NEED A KIDNEY REMEDY?

Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root is not recommended for everything, but if you have kidney, liver or bladder trouble, it will be found just the remedy you need. Swamp-Root makes friends quickly because its mild and immediate effect is soon realized. It is a gentle healing herbal compound—a physician's prescription which has proved its great curative value in thousands of the most distressing cases.

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POSSIBLE EXPLANATION.

Miss Screecher—He must be very tender-hearted. Why, every time I sing he cries.

Collier Downe—Maybe he doesn't like to see anything murdered.

TWO CURED OF SKIN TROUBLE

"I have suffered from birth with skin trouble, and doctored with four of the best doctors that could be found, without any lasting effects. Then I used several kinds of patent medicines, only growing worse instead of better. After using them a long time I was so bad that it took the hair off my head, and even my eyebrows too, and made my eyes so bad that I was kept in a dark room for several weeks. I was out of my head for a long time. A friend told me to get some of the Cuticura Remedies and she knew they would cure me, so I got some packages of Cuticura Ointment and Resolvent and used them and was cured. This was about two years ago, and I have never had a touch of it since.

"Also my husband had had salt rheum for twenty-three years, and after I had such a wonderful cure through the use of the Cuticura Remedies, he sent for some Cuticura Soap, Cuticura Ointment and Resolvent, and used them himself and he was cured. His flesh was covered with stuff like fish scales, especially in the winter, and he even had it in his hair so bad he had to keep his hair cut close to his head. It even grew down on his face, but we are now both happy over our cures through the use of Cuticura treatment." (Signed) Mrs. Laurence Butler, Chesterfield, N. H., Jan. 10, 1911.

Although Cuticura Soap and Ointment are sold everywhere, a sample of each, with 32-page book, will be mailed free on application to "Cuticura," Dept. 17 K, Boston.

Silly Game.

A city cousin had been staying at the farm for two weeks, resting up for the winter's round of pleasure. One evening after supper she suggested to her country cousin that they get up a bridge party some evening.

"My sakes, Arabella," was the horrified reply. "They ain't no bridge nearer than four mile, and that one's awful rickety. This time of the year, you'd all have penumonia. For crazy new-fangled idees, give me you city folks!"

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In all its forms among all ages of horses and dogs, cured and others in the same stable prevented from having the disease with Spohn's Distemper Cure. Every bottle guaranteed. Over 750,000 bottles sold last year. $.50 and $1.00. Good druggists, or send to manufacturers. Agents wanted. Write for free book. Spohn Med. Co., Spec. Contagious Diseases, Goshen, Ind.

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COUGHS & COLDS

FEW FACTS ABOUT POULTRY

Quality of the Eggs Greatly Depends on the Food Given—French Use Spices in Fattening.

Eggs may differ materially in color, and yet may not differ much in nutriment. Again, they may differ largely in nutriment, when, for instance, they are neglected or poorly fed, or when they eat filth, damaged grain or tainted meat. The crop and gizzard of a hen cannot transform impure food into pure food products. The real value of an egg for food lies inside the shell, and is not indicated by color of shell, says the American Cultivator.

In France they mix spices and herbs with the food given to fattening poultry, which are said to impart a delicious flavor to the meat.

Fowls intended to be killed should not only be confined in a coop for 24 hours without food, but should be supplied with plenty of drinking water, which adds to the cleanness of the intestines.

If a drawn carcass has any distance to go, it may mold inside; or if a fly does not "blow" in it, there is a large exposed surface hidden from sight which may become infected by some means during transit. If moldy, sour or fly blown, it is no longer salable, at least for anything like a fair price, and it is not safe as food.

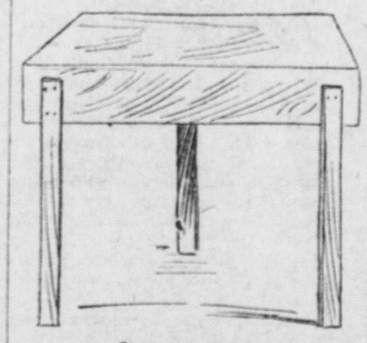
A poultry lecturer in Scotland some years ago, in an address on the rearing and general management of chickens, said on the subject of food, he would give a "wrinkle" worth its weight in gold. At three days old the chickens were qualified to eat pretty nearly anything, but he warned them against the practice of feeding the chickens on soaked bread. They should adopt the following plan: Fill the little linen bag half full of rice, put it into water and let it boil five minutes. They should then withdraw the bag and let the water drain away and they would find the rice whole and separated. A handful of oatmeal should be mixed with the rice and it would absorb all the moisture. This the chickens should be allowed to pick up for themselves, but they should not have too much.

As the duck has no crop, it does not assimilate and thrive on whole grain.

CHOPPING BLOCK IS HANDY

Implement Will Be Found of Great Convenience for Cutting Meat and Bones for Poultry.

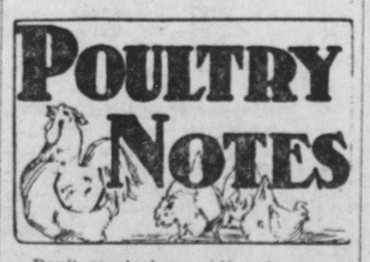
We have been using a chopping block around the chicken yard which is very handy when pounding bones and chopping fresh meat for the flock, says a writer in the Homestead. A



Chopping Block.

heavy piece of timber, two feet long, one foot wide and ten inches thick was secured. To this was attached three legs as illustrated, allowing the face of the block to stand about two and one-half inches above the ground.

POULTRY NOTES



Don't overlook providing for a supply of green feed.

A hen without plenty of drink is a hen without many eggs to put in the basket.

Fresh eggs find ready buyers and command respect. Bad eggs cause trouble.

Store a sufficient quantity of road dust also to provide the chickens with dust baths during the winter.

Carefulness in dressing poultry pays for the extra pains taken. The pin feathers must all be removed.

Worry along without a trap nest, but keep your eyes open for the best layers and set their eggs next spring.

Over-exercise toughens the flesh of even a young fowl. A good breast is half the race for a valuable table fowl.

Eggs have lots of albumen in them. What is that? You get it in milk. Don't fail to feed all of it you can spare.

If you want your hens to shell out the eggs, boil up some of those small potatoes and feed them now and then a ration.

The carcass should be dressed immediately after killing. To allow the feathers to remain on for several hours will hasten decomposition.

Should your poultry house floor be damp and there be no possibility of moving it to dryer grounds, scatter several wheelbarrel loads of fine dry earth over the top.

The laying hen is not apt to become overfat. Nevertheless, it is a mistake to keep her on a diet of corn expecting her to manufacture eggs from that article. Corn is no egg food.

WHAT'S THE MATTER WITH YOUR BABY?

The young mother—and many an old one, too—is often puzzled to know the cause of her child's ill nature. The loudness of its crying does not necessarily indicate the seriousness of its trouble. It may have nothing more the matter with it than a headache or a feeling of general dullness. It cannot, of course, describe its feelings, but as a preliminary measure you are safe in trying a mild laxative.

Nine times out of ten, you will find it is all the child needs, for its restlessness and peevishness are perhaps due to obstruction of the bowels, and once that has been remedied the headache, the sluggishness and the many other evidences of constipation and indigestion will quickly disappear.

Don't give the little one salts, cathartic pills or nasty waters, for these will act as purgatives, and they are too strong for a child. In the families of Mrs. C. D. Walter, 166 Bryant St., N. W., Washington, D. C., and Mrs. Emma Waynes, Esmont, Va., the only laxative given is Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. It has been found to answer most perfectly all the purposes of a laxative, and its very mildness and freedom from griping recommend it especially for the use of children, women, and old folks generally—people who need a gentle bowel stimulant. Thousands of American families have been enthusiastic about it for more than a quarter of a century.

Anyone wishing to make a trial of this remedy before buying it in the regular way of a druggist at fifty cents or one dollar a large bottle (family size) can have a sample bottle sent to the home free of charge by simply addressing Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 291 Washington St., Monticello, Ill. Your name and address on a postal card will do.

Natural Ending.

"Our cook's dead."

"Indeed? Did she die a natural death?"

"Yes, the natural death of a person who tries to light a fire with kerosene!"—Stray Stories.

Subjective.

"I see somebody has invented a 'noiseless' soup spoon. In what way is it noiseless?"

"Why, madam, it's constructed in such a manner that—er—you don't make a noise when you're using it."

TO DRIVE OUT MALARIA AND BUILD UP THE SYSTEM

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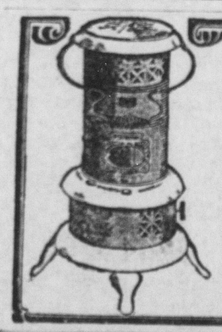

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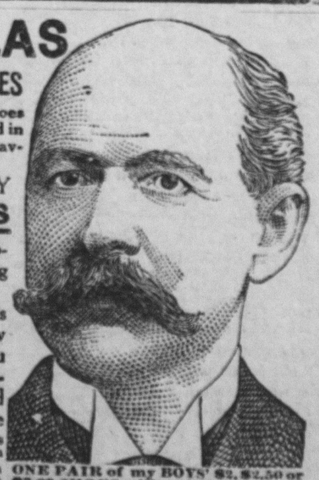

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THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 9, 1911

THE JURY LIST.

Drawn for the December Term of Court Beginning Monday, December 4.

Grand Jury—First Week.

Walter H. Williams, Worth.
W. M. Grove, Gregg.
Wm. S. Maize, Millheim.
John J. Vonada, Marion.
Calvin Gingerich, Harris.
J. G. Eby, Millheim.
S. Charles Gramley, Miles.
J. E. Stevens, Half Moon.
Isaac Holt, Huston.
William Rapsey, Philipsburg,
George C. Miller, Spring.
S. T. Gephart, Miles.
Frank M. Fisher, Gregg.
U. S. Shaffer, Miles.
George Houck, Rush.
William Hulton, Rush.
Samuel Homan, State College.
J. Q. Miles. Huston.
P. D. Swabb, Gregg.
T. G. Ingram, Union.
W. W. Bilger, Rush.
Thomas Quick, Huston.
Daniel Kern, Walker.
F. K. Keister, Walker.

Traverse Jury—First Week.

A. M. Butler, Howard.
J. J. Tressler, College.
Elmer Lowder, College.
M A. Elder, Philipsburg.
Arista Lucas, Union.
Frederick Robb, Howard Borough.
W. W. Rhoads, Worth.
D. Howard Zerby, State College.
A. C. Cowher, Worth.
Solomon Peck, Walker.
Raymond Gilliland State College.
Frank Brumbaugh, Philipsburg.
George Harpster, Spring.
I. M. Harvey, State College.
D. J. Beck, Half Moon.
J. M. Weaver, Haines.
George Hurley, Philipsburg.
Henry M. Krebs, Ferguson.
E. A. Bartges, Penn.
William Gray, Rush.
Samuel Wise, Gregg.
George R. Meek, Bellefonte.
Homer W. Creps. Miles.
S. P. Gray, Ferguson.
Lafe Stine, South Philipsburg.
W. C Coxey, Bellefonte.
G. B. Sanford, Philipsburg.
Jacob Yarnell, Boggs.
C. T. Gerbrick, Bellefonte.
Moses Beher, Patton.
P. C. Steele, Jr., Spring.
Robert J. Smith, Penn.
Philip D. Waddle, Bellefonte.
James I. McClure, Bellefonte.
W. W. Waddle, Bellefonte.
M. C. Walk, Taylor.
J. L. Tressler, Harris.
N. E. Leathers, Snow Shoe Borough.
W. J. Bower, Haines.
James Everhart, College.
G. W. Orr, Marion.
T. B. Budinger, Snow Shoe Borough.
Daniel Showalter, Spring.
William Lyon, Spring.
J. W. Mayes, Howard Borough.
J. E. Sampsel, Benner.
David Wagner, College.
S. M. Hess, Rush.

Traverse Jury—Second Week.

Robert P. Campbell, Gregg.
C. A. Shaffer, Walker.
W. J. Throssell, Millheim,
H. C. Reilling, Philipsburg.
Charles Smith, Bellefonte.
W. T. Lingle, Gregg.
Robert Harman, Philipsburg.
Frank McFarlane, Harris.
G. W. Lane, Rush.
H. E. Garbrick, Spring.
W. M. Goheen, Harris.
C. P. Long Gregg.
Elias Confer, Gregg.
E. S. Faulkner, Philipsburg.
M. S. McDowel, State College.
A. B. Williams, Worth.
H. A. Taylor, Bellefonte.
John Hurst, Philipsburg.
Frank Sasserman, Bellefonte.
R. J. Hartle, Benner.
Lewis Dorman, Marion.
James I. Lytle, State College.
James I. Williams, College.
W. J. Musser, Bellefonte.
Henry Heaton, Boggs.
John B. Rockey, Patton.
Robert C. Musser. Gregg.
George Sweitzer, Benner.
Joseph Meyers, Spring.
Bruce Lingle, Boggs.
William Showers, Walker.
H. E. Stover, Miles,
John N. Lane, Bellefonte.
Harry Quick, Boggs.
Harry Sampsel, Spring.
H. N. Feidler, Miles.
Silas M. Reese, Philipsburg.
Stewart Dillon, Huston.
Lew McQuistain, Bellefonte.

Court News.

Last week Judge Orvis held a session of juvenile court for the purpose of hearing the case of the Commonwealth vs. Harry Barner and Harvey Tressler, the two boys charged with robbing Edward Gillen's grocery store, in Bellefonte. The lads plead guilty and will be taken to the house of refuge at Glen Mills, Chester county.

In the case of Commonwealth vs. Joseph Conaway, charged with burglary, Thomas F. Kelley prosecutor, the defendant plead guilty and was sentenced to a period of not less than nine months in the western penitentiary, to which institution he was taken last week by Sheriff Hurley and Lewis Lonsberry.

DEATHS.

Mrs. Catharine Matilda Huller, wife of Edward Huller, of Altoona, died at her home in that city after an illness of five weeks. Her maiden name was Guisewhite and she was born at the old Foust tavern in the Seven Mountains, in Centre county, fifty-nine years ago. Most of her married life was spent in Altoona. Surviving her are her husband and the following children: Mrs. Francis Otto and Richard M., of Altoona; Mrs. Pearl Crawford and Mrs. Grace Shutt, of Milton. She also leaves one brother and two sisters, namely: A. C. Guisewhite, of Milton; Mrs. Alice Fleck, of Philipsburg, and Mrs. Carrie Lohr, of Altoona.

Prof. D. M. Brungard, born at Loganton in 1849 died in Lock Haven, last week. He held the office of county superintendent in Clinton county for two terms beginning in 1887, and was identified with school work for forty-five years. A wife and three sons survive, as does also one sister, Mrs. Henry Wren, of Loganton.

John A. McDonald, the well-known Reedsville druggist and civil war veteran, died Thursday evening of last week, aged sixty-seven years. His wife and several children survive. His death was due to tuberculosis from which he suffered six or seven years.

Mrs. Jacob Dunkle, an aged resident of Hublersburg and relict of ex-county commissioner Jacob Dunkle, died at her home in that place after a protracted illness.

Mrs. Mary Campbell, wife of E. G. Campbell, who suffered from asthma for over forty years died at her home at Julian.

William Shawley, a resident of Boggs township, died last week, aged sixty-nine years, and eight months.

William Armstrong Kirby, a brother-in-law of Hammon Sechler, of Bellefonte, died in Trappe, Maryland.

Tusseyville.

Miss Kate Weber, of State College, accompanied Mrs. C. J. Burchfield to to her home, where she spent several days.

The members of the W. H. and F. M. Society, of Tusseyville, are preparing for an entertainment to be held on the evening of Thanksgiving day.

Miss Maud Neff, who was in the Bellefonte hospital several weeks, has returned to her home and surprised her friends on Sunday evening by being able to go out driving.

Mrs. Frank McClellan and little son Wilbur, who has been visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Wagner, left Monday morning for Osbanter, where her husband is employed as a telegraph operator.

The Hallowe'en party held in H. A. McClellan's barn, Tuesday evening of last week, was the most important event at Tussey Sink this year. There were fourty-six present; about twice that number would have been there had the weather been nice. The evening was spent in playing games and eating pumpkin pies, candy and taffy, which was erjoyed by all. One of the most interested waited until morning to go home as traveling by foot was more easily done in day light. It is the writer's wish that many more will be able to attend another barn party in 1912

Rebersburg.

Mrs. T. W. Walker spent the past week at Jersey Shore.

Jerome Meyer is at present housed with rheumatism.

Monasses Gilbert spent last Saturday at Aaronsburg with his brother Henry.

On last Thursday David Deihl was lucky enough to shoot a twelve pound wild turkey.

The home owned by George Waite which was offered for sale on last Saturday was not sold.

Prof. and Mrs. E. S. Stover and daughter Grace, of Woodward, spent last Sunday at this place.

George Heller who spent the past two years in Indiana is at present visiting relatives in this vicinity.

William Haines and family, of Aaronsburg spent last Saturday at the home of James Zeigler at this place.

William Minnich and family, of Aaronsburg, spent last Sunday, at this place at the home of Lester Minnich.

Mrs. Whitman, wife of Rev. Whitman, who received a paralytic stroke several weeks ago, and was on a fair way to recovery, was again compelled to take her bed.

On last Thursday while Harry Limbert was hauling corn out of the field his horses became frightened and ran away. The hind wheel of the wagon passed over Mr. Limbert, injuring him so much that he has since been unable to work.

" I do not believe there is any other medicine so good for whooping cough as Chamberlain's Cough Remedy," writes Mrs. Francis Turpin, Junction City, Oregon. This remedy is also unsurpassed for colds and croup. For sale by all dealers.

TRAPPING EAGLES.

The Chinese Get Them With a Baited Net and a Decoy Bird.

Every year, according to an old custom, in the second quarter of the September or October moon, the inhabitants of the Chinese province of Shantung go to Mongolia to hunt the eagles which abound in that region. The huntsmen march in troops along the roads, carrying on their shoulders long poles from which are suspended their baggage and provisions and on which are perched tame eagles to be used as decoys.

The hunters make use of a large net, spread open on the ground and baited with small dried fishes, in the midst of which is placed a tame eagle. The decoy naturally begins to devour the bait and thus invites its wild cousins to follow its example. When the birds have alighted and are feeding the hunter, from his hiding place two or three hundred yards distant, quickly closes the net by means of cords and thus captures the eagles.

Eagle hunting is very lucrative. The feathers are used in the manufacture of fans and are sold at a high price even in China. There are three sorts—Kicpei, black with white centers; Chema, white spotted with black; Toutsing, half white and half black. Several eagles contribute to the making of a fan, for only a small part of the plumage can be utilized; hence these fans are very costly.

ANIMAL EVOLUTION.

Changes In the Partridges of the Canary Islands.

A remarkable example of the effects of environment and changed conditions of life upon the forms of animals is furnished by a species of partridge living in the Canary islands. Over 400 years ago the Spaniards introduced the red legged partridge from Europe into these islands, and the bird has continued to flourish there; but, as recent examination proves, it has undergone modifications clearly brought about by the conditions under which it lives.

Its back has turned from russet color to gray. This looks like protective coloration, since the bird passes its life among gray volcanic rocks.

Its beak has become one-fourth longer and thicker than that of its ancestors and of its European relatives, and its legs also have increased in length and grown stouter.

These changes are exactly such as were needed to suit it to the life that it is now compelled to lead amid the rocks and on the mountain sides of the islands, where a more rigorous physical development is required than was needed in its former home.—Harper's Weekly.

Mighty Queer.

The negro on occasions displays a fine discrimination in the choice of words, says the National Monthly.

"Who's the best whitewasher in town?" inquired the new resident.

"Ale Hall am a bo'nd a'tist with a whitewash brush, sah," answered the colored patriarch eloquently.

"Well, tell him to come and whitewash my chicken house tomorrow."

Uncle Jacob shook his head dubiously.

"Ah don't believe, sah, Ah'd engage Ale Hall to whitewash a chicken house, sah."

"Why, didn't you say he was a good whitewasher?"

"Yes, sah, a powe'ful good whitewasher, sah, but mighty queer about a chicken house, sah; mighty queer."

Tennyson's Bird Sounds.

Perhaps the best word for the cry of the cricket is that of Tennyson. "Not a cricket chirr'd," he writes in "In Memoriam." But Tennyson was always curiously exact in his vocal rendering of the songs of birds. What could be truer to sound than "the moan of doves in immemorial elms?" Then, too, the linnet, the robin and the thrush "pipe," the woodpecker "laughs" and "mocks," the lark and the plover "whistle," the jay "scritches," the parrot "screams," the peacock "squalls," the blackbird "warbles," while the ocean fowl "shriek" and the eagle "yelps."—London Graphic.

High Finance.

"What makes him look so solemn? He gets his month's salary tomorrow."

"That's just the trouble. His wife and his mother-in-law allow him 50 cents a week out of it, and he's trying to make up his mind to strike for a dollar!"—Atlanta Constitution.

Balked.

"You got a raise in pay, didn't you?"

"Yes, but it didn't do me any good."

"Why not?"

"I talk in my sleep, and my wife found out about it."—Toledo Blade.

Pretty Steady.

"That Jones boy who used to work for you wants to hire out to me. Is he steady?"

"Steady? If he was any steadier he'd be motionless."—Judge.

Great Britain's Great Seal.

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